

**MARKLE TELLS OF
COL. WOODWARD
ON BATTLE FIELDS**

Old Comrade Grieved by the
News and Pays Earnest
Tribute to Friend
and Veteran

WAS ALWAYS ONE OF "HIS MEN"

Shoulder Stripe Made No
Difference with Friend-
ship of Soldier and
Scholar

WOUNDED; ONE NARROW ESCAPE

Shell Burst Under Wood-
ward's Horse but Colonel
Escaped Without a
Scratch

"I am very sorry. Colonel Wood-
ward was a true nobleman," said
Emanuel Markle, when told of Col-
onel G. M. Woodward's death over
the telephone.

The teams were away, the train
gone, and as no other means were
available, The Tribune sent an au-
tomobile to bring Mr. Markle in from
the farm, five miles out. He arrived
within an hour after learning of his
comrade's death.

"Colonel Woodward was a born
soldier," said Mr. Markle, "but as
he rose from the ranks he retained
the love of his old comrades be-
cause he did not let his shoulder
straps separate him from the boys."

Asked to tell something of Colonel
Woodward's war experiences, Mr.
Markle said:

"I'll tell you his record just as he
used to tell it to me. It goes like
this:

"Wounded once, horse killed un-
der me by exploding shell once,
scared to death a hundred times."

"That was just the colonel's mod-
est way of putting it," continued
Mr. Markle. "I guess his record is
proof of his service. He always ob-
eyed orders, and was successful, and
he went up strictly on his own mer-
its."

The old soldier's eyes brightened
as he seemed to review the old cam-
paigns in his mind. Mr. Markle was a
non-commissioned officer at the close
of the war. He is with one exception
the oldest settler of Shelby, and is in
his seventy-sixth year. With L. K.
Lockman, 631 South Eleventh St.,
this city, and Frank J. Phelps of Oa-
laska, he has the distinction of be-
ing the only survivors of the company
in which Colonel Woodward enlisted.
Milo Pitkin, now of North Dako-
ta, also survives.

"We went through Bull Run,
Fredericksburg, Antietam, Chancellors-
ville, South Mountain, Gettysburg
and the series of battles in the Wil-
derness, in a way, together. But his
promotion came early, and I saw
less and less of him personally, es-
pecially after he went on General
Wadsworth's staff. He was hit hard
in the arm during the first day at
Gettysburg. I had five bullets
through my clothes, but got off with
a hole in the hand and one in the
heel. Milo Pitkin was at my right
that day, and shot away like a ma-
chine gun. His eyes were red, like
fire. I could not have seen more of
Woodward in that battle, even had I
not been captured to be released
three days later, for the colonel's
wound kept him out of it."

"The colonel used often to tell me
about how General Meredith's
horse was shot near McPherson's
 Woods, and how his proverbial long
legs caused him to be caught by the
animal. The fire was heavy, and Col-
onel Woodward and another man
worked under fire to release the gen-
eral. He told it as a joke, but it was
an act of bravery that was noted by
his superior."

A Narrow Escape
Colonel Woodward escaped miracu-
lously in one of the fights in the
Wilderness. The shooting was terri-
ble, and a shell exploded under his
horse, but he escaped unhurt. Gen-
eral Warren of the Fifth corps, sug-
gested that it was "getting pretty
hot." I could have told him that long
before," said the colonel.

"Something of the perils of Col-
onel Woodward's war experience may
be guessed from the fact that out of
the 1,000 men who left here with the
regiment, but seventy-three return-
ed at the close of the war. Of course,
there were some desertions, and ex-
piration of enlistments counted, but
most of them fell upon this field."

A Warm Tribute
"I know Mr. Woodward intimately.
He drew my will, and we discussed
intimate affairs very often. He was a
gentleman, kind of heart, always
cheering his friends up. Now he has
been mustered out, with an honor-
able discharge. It is a fine thing to
have lived his noble life, and died as
he did, with a whole county paying
him respect."

FOUR DIE IN FIRE
BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 13.—
Three men perished and a fourth
was probably fatally burned in a fire
which destroyed a six story tenement
house in the Italian district here ear-
ly today.

**MINNESOTA TAX
INCREASES FASTER
THAN WISCONSIN'S**

Grow at Faster Ratio in the
Gopher State During
the Last Thirteen
Years

COMPILES FIGURES FOR 13 YEARS

Sister State Levy Grew
from 14 to 43 Millions;
Wisconsin's from 19
to 41 Millions

AVERAGE STATE TAX IS LESS

In Minnesota It Is \$3,201.-
528 and in Wisconsin
\$2,621,809 for the
Period

MADISON, Wis., March 13.—Tot-
al taxes are higher in Minnesota
than in Wisconsin. The total taxes,
local, county and state, have increas-
ed at a faster ratio in Minnesota
during the past thirteen years than
in Wisconsin.

These are conclusions drawn from
a table compiled by Prof. T. S. Ad-
ams of the state tax commission. The
total taxes have increased from \$14,-
880,507 in 1900 in Minnesota to
\$42,594,159 in 1913. In the same
period total taxes in Wisconsin in-
creased from \$19,376,478 to \$41,-
596,960.

The figures used in making the
comparisons are taken from the re-
cords of the state treasurer of Min-
nesota, but corrected so as to com-
pare with those of Wisconsin. For
example, the total taxes collected in
Minnesota in 1913 according to the
official records is \$45,763,382. In
Minnesota collections from the trust
funds of the state are included as
state taxes. As this is not the cus-
tom in Wisconsin, these amounts
have been transferred and placed on
the same basis as used in Wisconsin
so as to make the tables comparable.
The taxes for the thirteen years in
Minnesota have been rearranged up-
on this basis. Otherwise it would
show a state tax out of all propor-
tion to Wisconsin. Special assess-
ments are omitted from the local
taxes of both states.

Minnesota has a population about
2,000,000 less than Wisconsin, but its
population is more urban, owing to
the two large cities of Minneapolis
and St. Paul. The average of state
taxes collected in Minnesota for the
past thirteen years is \$3,201,528.
The average state taxes collected in
Wisconsin during the same period is
\$2,621,829.

County taxes have increased from
\$2,722,125 in 1900 in Minnesota to
\$7,724,614 in 1913. In Wisconsin
county taxes have increased from
\$2,542,290 to \$8,116,518 in the same
period.

Local taxes in Minnesota have in-
creased from \$10,492,644 in 1900 to
\$28,972,991 in 1913, while Wiscon-
sin local taxes increased from \$14,-
488,618 to \$25,825,124 in the same
time.

**HOUSE UNROOFED
BY CHIMNEY FIRE**
The home of Herman Peters,
2330 Main street, was damaged by
fire to the extent of \$400 last night
as the result of a defective chimney.
The fire was discovered at 7:10,
and with the assistance of several
neighbors the furniture was nearly
all removed within a few minutes.
When the fire was extinguished a
half hour later, the greater part of
the roof and upper part of the build-
ing had been burned away. The
house was partly covered by insur-
ance.

**BETROTHAL MAY BE
ANNOUNCED SOON**

WASHINGTON, March 13.—That
an official announcement of the en-
gagement of Miss Eleanor Randolph
Wilson, youngest daughter of Presi-
dent and Mrs. Wilson, to Secretary
of the Treasury William Gibbs Mc-
Adoo, will be forthcoming within
the next forty-eight hours, was the
general opinion of friends of both
here today.

**"SIAMESE TWINS"
HAVE ONE BRAIN**

CHICAGO, March 13.—
"Siamese twins"—girls with
heads united and with a single
brain—were born today to Mrs.
Ellena Marsullis, 24, at the Co-
lumbus Extension hospital. They
died a few minutes after birth,
but it is believed the mother
will recover.
News of the birth of the
"double child" excited the
Lithuanian colony near the
stock yards, where the Marsullis
family lives.
"My God! My God!" moaned
the father, "the devil has been
born."

**WOODWARD FOUND
PAPERS SIGNED
BY WASHINGTON**

Documents Bearing Signa-
ture of First President
Recently Donated to
Normal School

DISCOVERED ON OLD PLANTATION

Was Reveling in Musty Col-
lection When Interrupted
by Battle; Snatched
a Few

WAS IN BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG

Described First Day of the
Three Day Contest; Was
Wounded in First Brush
with "Johnnies"

To Colonel G. M. Woodward the La
Crosse state normal school is in-
debted for some of its most valuable
historical documents. They are
leaves, dated 1749, and signed by
George Washington, then 17 years
of age, as witness.

The story connected with the old
papers is an interesting as they are
themselves and is best told as relat-
ed to Prof. A. H. Sanford, professor
of history, by Colonel Woodward.

It was during the Wilderness cam-
paign, and Woodward's company, of
the Wisconsin light infantry, was en-
camped on an old Virginia planta-
tion. He was then doing clerical
work for the regiment and was oc-
cupied with reports. He was at work
in an orchard near the house—a
typical southern plantation home.

A brush with the rebels was mo-
mentarily expected and the regiment
was laying in wait for orders. While
Mr. Woodward was at work upon his
reports other members of the reg-
iment were roaming about the plan-
tation and through the old home-
long since deserted by the occupants
when the "Yanks" took possession of
the territory.

Find Old Papers
Some of the soldiers meandered
into the cellar of the home and dis-
covered there boxes filled with pa-
pers. They had been broken open
and documents were strewn over the
floor. They had evidently been ran-
sacked in great haste.

The soldiers gathered a few to-
gether and, because of their legal as-
pect, carried them to Mr. Woodward
for his inspection. The latter at
once realized that they were remark-
ably old and, always a collector of
things of historical value, visited the
cellar himself.

For some time, said Colonel Wood-
ward, he revealed in the musty doc-
uments finding papers signed by men
known to him only as figures in his-
tory. He found there old deeds and
papers dealing with affairs long be-
fore his birth and among them he
found several of which bore the sig-
nature of Washington—the first
president.

Battle Interrupts
He was perusing them, the dates
recalling events of pre-revolutionary
date, when his dreaming was broken
by the low roar of distant cannon.
Then came orders from officers near
the house and Mr. Woodward, snatch-
ing a handful of the midwint docu-
ments, hastened outside to snatch
his rifle, join his company and fight
the "Johnnies" who had slyly crept
to within shooting distance of the
boys in blue.

Colonel Woodward carried the pa-
pers throughout the civil war but
when mustered out found that all
had been lost except the two which
he but recently donated to the his-
torical library at the normal school.
They are what he termed a lease
and release and were between Mer-
edith Edwards and wife of Stafford
county, Virginia, and Samuel and
Mary Seldon. They concerned cer-
tain lands in Stafford county.

The witnesses to the transaction
were John Fitzhugh, Anthony Stro-
ther and George Washington. It was
the theory of Mr. Woodward that the
home was that of a Virginia lawyer,
named Reed; that when deserted leg-
al documents had been hastily pack-
ed in boxes and stored in the cellar
and that after the desertion of the
place by the family the boxes had
been torn open by slaves seeking val-
uables.

Donates Old Maps
Mr. Woodward also donated to
the normal historical library a val-
uable set of books called "Battles
and Leaders of the Civil War." The
set is in ten volumes. He also pre-
sented the school with copies of the
complete set of the Brady war pho-
tographs. They are the only authen-
tic pictures of the war and were but
recently discovered.

Old maps of the city of La Crosse,
one of them dated 1857, were also
turned over by Mr. Woodward short-
ly before his death.

To Prof. Sanford Mr. Woodward
described the first days of the three
day battle of Gettysburg.
"The day," said Colonel Wood-
ward, "was one of the brightest I
ever saw. The men in the ranks all
knew that a big battle was coming
and over the entire regiment there
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**RUMOR A REVIVAL
OF EMBARGO ON
ARMS TO MEXICO**

National Government of U.
S. Impatient with Atti-
tude Assumed by Gen-
eral Carranza

VILLA DELAYS CAMPAIGN START

Vacillates About in Chihua-
hua with No Definite
Advance Toward
Torreon

OFFICER HELD FOR BENTON DEATH

Rumored that Relative of
Villa Has Been Arrested
for Killing of British
Subject

MEXICO CITY, March 13.—The
Mexican foreign office today let it be
known that it expects tomorrow
a note from Secretary of State Bryan
in regard to another embargo by the
United States on the importation of
arms into Mexico. Senor O'Shaugh-
nessy, American charge d'affaires,
refused to discuss the matter. For-
eign Minister Portillo Y Rajas de-
clined to go into details.

Tampico hospitals are filled to ca-
pacity with wounded federals, ac-
cording to a report today
from the beleaguered oil port.

After Torreon News
WASHINGTON, March 13.—Ren-
ewed efforts to get details of the
exact situation at Tampico and Tor-
reon were made by the state depart-

Huerta Seizes Citizens
MEXICO CITY, March 13.—
General Huerta's recruiting
methods today were exemplified
again, by wholesale conscrip-
tions in the suburbs. Hun-
dreds of men were seized in the
streets and locked up until they
could be provided with uniforms
and rifles. They were then pro-
nounced "soldiers" and sent to
Carmavaca, where Zapatistas
were reported to be operating.
Huerta also impressed 900 men
from the Mexico City prisons.

ment today. There has been skir-
mishing in the vicinity of these towns
for several days, but the department
is anxious to know whether the de-
cisive combat has started.

It is understood to have been the
plan of the constitutionalists to at-
tack the two cities simultaneously in
the belief that if these important
places could be captured it would be
a death blow to the Huerta cause
and result in wholesale desertions
from the dictator's armies. Because
of this fact the state department is
following events very closely.

Carranza Wants Compromise
The state department was still
without details of Carranza's reply
to Secretary Bryan's demand that he
recognize the right of this govern-
ment to make representations regard-
ing the lives and property of all for-
eigners in northern Mexico. Unoffi-
cially it is reported that Carranza
wants to compromise.

It is not believed that this govern-
ment will accept any such suggestion
from Carranza. In fact it was re-
ported there has already crept into the
messages exchanged between Wash-
ington and the various constitution-
alist headquarters through the United
States consular representatives, a note
of sharpness indicating actual
impatience here with the various con-
tentions of Carranza.

Villa Vacillates
CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, March 13.—
Although the bulk of General
Francisco Villa's Mexican constitu-
tionalist army is already at Escalon
or closer to Torreon, Villa himself
still remains here today. When he
will depart with the troops remain-
ing here is problematical. Villa him-
self does not seem to have made up
his mind. Every night he warns his
chief lieutenants and the newspaper
correspondents that they may be
"called to the firing line before day-
light," but beyond that statement he
is silent.

Today Villa kept 200 persons, in-
cluding several generals and high of-
ficials, waiting in the ante-room of
his office while he cleaned a rifle.
Recently he was presented with a
new high power rifle fitted with a
Maxim silencer, and he has been act-
ing like a child with a new toy ever
since it came. The silencer is the first
he ever saw and he has announced he
will provide all his sharpshooters
with these devices.

Has 16,000 Troops
When Villa moves south he will
leave 4,000 troops distributed
throughout the state of Chihuahua
as garrisons for the cities. Villa has
a total of 16,000 troops in Chihuahua,
6,000 in Durango, and between 5,-
000 and 6,000 in Coahuila and Nue-
vo Leon.

Commission Does Nothing
EL PASO, Texas, March 13.—
General Fraustro, president of the
commission appointed by General
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**LA CROSSE MOURNS
FRIENDS DO HONOR
TO COL. WOODWARD**

Splendid Qualities of Dis-
tinguished Citizen Dis-
cussed by Three Inti-
mate with Him

PERSONALITY MOST ATTRACTIVE

Manly Attributes Trans-
cended Even His Notable
Ability as a Member
of the Bar

ALL WHO TALK ARE AFFECTED

Strong Hold of Lawyer-Sol-
dier on Friends Evidenced
by Feeling with Which
They Speak of Him

The death of Colonel G. M. Wood-
ward occasioned deep regret
throughout the city today and every-
where were heard expressions of es-
teem for the man who has held a
substantial place in the affections of
the people of his community. The
sentiment of the entire community
was tersely and accurately expressed
by L. C. Colman, who said:

"In the death of Colonel Wood-
ward there is to those who knew
him well a great personal loss as he
was a man of sentiment far beyond
the average. To his personal friends
this quality overshadowed the im-
pressions made by his great ability
as a lawyer and public spirited citi-
zen."

There was deep feeling in Judge
E. C. Higbee's voice when, referring
to the death of Colonel Woodward,
he said:

"Even had I the time to prepare it
would be difficult for me to ade-
quately express my estimate of the
character and life of Col. Woodward.
He filled every position and relation
in life in the fullest measure. He
was a man of the highest honor and
unswerving integrity, an able and
accomplished lawyer, greatly loved
by all who knew him."

A Lawyer's View
Appreciation of Colonel Wood-
ward from the standpoint of his pro-
fessional associates finds earnest ex-
pression in an interview by W. S.
Burroughs, who, as one of the pio-
neer lawyers has practiced at the bar
with Colonel Woodward for many
years. Mr. Burroughs says:

"As a lawyer Colonel Woodward
was exceedingly able. He was a close
and careful student of his chosen
profession, stood high at the bar,
and has always been recognized as
a man of special ability."

"Mr. Woodward was reticent and
not given to talking of himself, but
was always pleasant and genial, kind
and obliging. He was particularly
sensitive in observing the ethics of
his profession and in adhering to the
straight line of duty to his client. He
was one of the most able lawyers
who practiced before the supreme
court, and handled cases before that
court with skill and ability that placed
him in the foremost rank."

"After returning from the war
Mr. Woodward practiced alone for
a short time and later became a
partner of the firm of Burton and
Woodward. When Judge Samuel S.
Burton retired from law practice,
Mr. Woodward practiced alone until
the death of Senator Angus Camer-
on, when he formed a partnership
with J. W. Losey, the remaining
member of the firm. Later Mr. An-
drew Lees became a member of the
firm, known as Losey, Woodward and
Lees, until the death of Mr. Losey
in 1901. Mr. Woodward and Mr.
Lees have been associated ever
since under the firm name of Wood-
ward and Lees."

"He was a gentleman. He stood
for all that was high, noble and up-
right in the conduct of his practice
and was known throughout the
state as a careful, conscientious, able
and diligent lawyer."

SHOT BY FRIEND

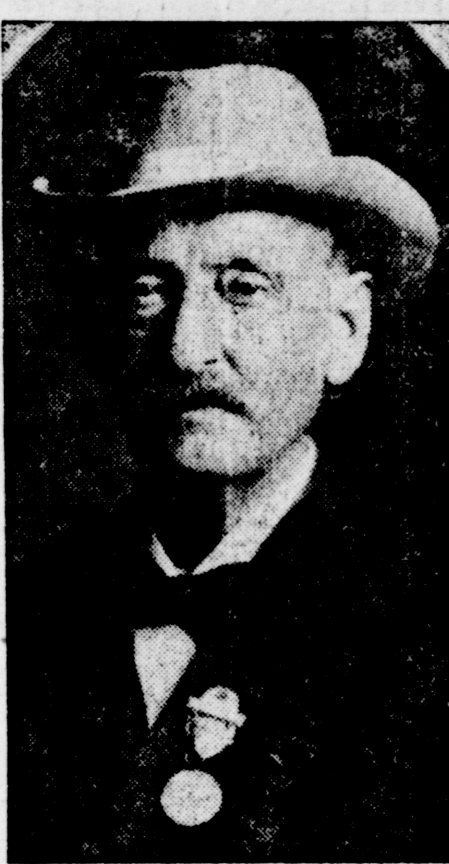
NEW YORK, March 13.—Caught
in a cross fire of his own friends'
bullets, James Foley, gangman, was
shot to death early today in a bat-
tle in a saloon in Bridge street, in
Brooklyn. Foley and four other gun-
men entered the saloon of James Mc-
Menemann and demanded drinks.
They threatened McMenemann, who
drew an empty pistol. Instantly all
five gangsters produced their guns
and firing, retreated through the
door. McMenemann was unhurt but
Foley sank on the doorstep with a
bullet in his heart.

**BOYS DROP MATCH
IN GASOLINE TANK**

CHICAGO, March 13.—Two 12
year old boys, John Bodian and Pe-
ter Kolenz, were fatally burned this
afternoon when a crowd of young-
sters threw lighted matches into a
250 gallon tank of gasoline at the
west side brewery. The explosion set
off a second tank of 500 gallons, par-
tially wrecked a building and gave
firemen a half hour's fight to control
the flames.

**GILBERT M. WOODWARD
STATESMAN AND CIVIL
WAR VETERAN IS DEAD**

G. M. Woodward



Soldier, Journalist, Lawyer and
Statesman, Who Died Today After
Having Lived in La Crosse Since
Before the Civil War.

**EXPLAINS WHY HE
PAROLED FRENCH**

Judge Intimates that Had
He Sat Upon Jury He
Would Not Have Found
Conductor Guilty

RELEASED BECAUSE OF DAUGHTER

Uses Clemency Not to Tar-
nish the Life of Inno-
cent Girl Says the
Opinion

In delivering his opinion at the
Harry French trial, Judge George
Clementson at Lancaster yesterday
intimated that had he been a mem-
ber of the jury that sat in the trial
he would not have agreed to a ver-
dict of guilty.

Paroled French.

Harry French, a Burlington con-
ductor residing at 1515 Kane street,
was tried for the murder of Pat
Murphy, a tramp whom he was al-
leged to have kicked from a moving
train causing his death. Judge Clemen-
tson suspended sentence, placing
French under two year parole.

Continuing, Judge Clementson
summed up the case by saying: "The
public good does not demand that
Mr. French should be sentenced to
state prison. To do this would mar
his life and cloud the future of an
innocent girl. This would benefit no
one. It cannot justly be claimed that
his incarceration in the state prison
would be beneficial by example."

"The testimony was that the man
who came down from the top of the
car swung his foot around and
hit the man holding on in the head;
that this man then took his feet out
of the stirrup and hung by his
hands, with his feet dragging upon
the ground. Essey, a witness, says
that he hung thus for about twenty
feet and then let go and fell."

"It unfortunately happened that
when he fell his head struck a bolt
or spike that stood up in the end of
a tie. This bolt or spike penetrated
the head just behind the ear and
killed him. If he had hung on two
seconds longer or had jumped when
he was kicked, he would not have
been killed. The act of the defend-
ant amounted of itself to assault and
battery only, but the unfortunate
result of it greatly increased the of-
fense."

Speaks of Daughter.

"Mr. French is a man 45 years of
age, a widower for six years. He
has one child, a daughter 14 years
old. He has been a railroad conduc-
tor for eighteen years. His record as
a railroad man is unblemished as
certificates of his superiors now in
my possession show. He has been a
resident of the city of La Crosse for
many years and there have been pre-
sented to me testimonials from a
number of prominent men of that
community showing that he is a
good citizen, honest, upright and of
clean conduct."

"Therefore it is, by the court,
now satisfactorily found that Harry
R. French comes fully within the
requirements of the probation statu-
te and it is ordered that the judg-
ment on the verdict in this case be
suspended."

**DEATH COMES AT
6:35 O'CLOCK AT
MACDONALD HOME**

Pioneer Citizen Called Af-
ter Illness of Year; Heart
Failure Is Immediate
Cause

WAS FORMER MEMBER OF CONGRESS

Was Prominent in Demo-
cratic Politics and One
Time Was Candidate
for Governor

BAR ASSOCIATION TO MEET TODAY

Will Be in Session This Af-
ternoon and Will Take
Active Part in Funeral;
Date to Be Set Later

Hon. Gilbert Motier Woodward,
aged 78 years, journalist, soldier,
lawyer and statesman, for forty-four
years a resident of La Crosse, died at
the home of Mrs. D. A. MacDonald,
226 West avenue, north, at 6:35
o'clock this morning.

Although failing for nearly a year
it was not until last three months
that his condition became so bad
that it forced him to give up his
work and take to his bed.

Heart failure is given as the im-
mediate cause of death and was su-
perinduced by hardening of the ar-
teries.

Colonel Woodward is survived by
a brother, Luther of Washington, D.
C., a sister, Mrs. Linkins, of the
same place and a brother, William
of Chicago, Ill. He also leaves sev-
eral nephews and nieces, one of
whom is Dr. William C. Woodward,
head of the medical department in
the District of Columbia.

Funeral arrangements have not
been completed, owing to the time
necessary to communicate with rela-
tives.

The funeral, however, will un-
doubtedly be in charge of the La
Crosse County Bar association, of
which the deceased was a member,
and the local post of the Grand Army
of the Republic. A meeting of the
latter organization is to be held at
4 o'clock this afternoon, when com-
mittees will be appointed to draft
resolutions and memorials to the
circuit and supreme courts.

Great Scholar
Mr. Woodward was recognized the
state over as a scholar in languages,
history, literature and the law and
for the last thirty years has had
a big practice before the Wisconsin
supreme court.

His knowledge of civil war events
and city, county and state historical
matters was known the state over
and it was only recently that the
state historical society petitioned
him to write a description of the first
day's battle at Gettysburg to be used
with other valuable information be-
ing gathered by the society.

Mr. Woodward was active in poli-
tics up to 1896. Always a gold dem-
ocrat, his retirement from active
part in the political world came
about the time of the free silver is-
sue.

Known to but few, it is never the
less a fact that Col. Woodward in
1893 was practically offered the
democratic United States senatorial
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WEATHER

Yesterday's temperatures:
High, 43.
Low, 24.
Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicin-
ity: Fair tonight and probably Sat-
urday; warmer tonight.

For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and
probably Saturday; warmer tonight;
moderate winds, mostly southerly.

For Minnesota: Fair tonight with
warmer south portion; Saturday in-
creasing cloudiness and somewhat
colder in afternoon or night; mod-<

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Out of the newest accepted materials, Crepes, Printed Crepes and Foulards, Mes-salines, Canton Crepes, Crepe Meteors, Charmeuse and Chiffon Taffetas; Tango, Peacock, Rose, Mustard, Mignonette, Cerise, Red, Copenhagen, Navy, Black and White, and very reasonably priced.

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Barron's
Finest Gowns and
Dresses

Models from Collet, Pireut, Drecoll, Collins and Goldstein. Dinner, Reception, Party, Wedding, etc.



Newest Waists

Sheer and wonderfully made out of Shadow Laces, Mouselines, Chiffons, Mes-salines, Crepes, Wash Silks and Nets.

150 New Skirts

With the new Tops, Ruffles and Pagoda effects. To close out quick Saturday morning. Are you wise? Here is your opportunity: 32 Boucle Winter Coats, black, all satin lined, regular \$15, \$20 and \$25 Coats, sizes 45, 47, 49, 51 and 53. Choice Saturday only each \$5.00

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Section

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In the 40 and 45 inch Ratines in plains, checks, plaids and Checks you will see we show the latest.

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Barron's
Morning and
"Trotteur" Dresses

Pictorial Review Patterns. Very smart in their simplicity are dresses 5607, 5611, 5615, 5605 and 5616. These can be recommended for serge, poplin, linen, etc., and 5616 is also charming for a lingerie frock.

The New
"Shower-Proof"
Foulards
are here

The season's smartest and most beautiful dresses will be developed in these adaptable, serviceable and stylish silks.

Domestic Section

Amoseag Apron Check Gingham, at 8c per yard.

ONLY Amoseag sold here, because it is the best, in fact we only have the best in everything.

Fruit of the Loom Muslin, 10c per yard.

Calicoes, only firsts, only full pieces American or Simpson Prints. Only price 6c per yard.

Pereales, 36 inch, 12 1/2 c yd. If you are paying more, you are paying too much.

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Second Floor—Take Elevator.

In The
MILLINERY
DEPT.

For Immediate Wear—a wonderful collection of Spring Hats in new types, new colors and new trimmings. Every woman will want to see this interesting display of the early Millinery.

White Goods
Section

No matter if you don't graduate, marry or be confirmed until later, it's the best time for you to see our handsome new weaves in White Goods now, for later it will be impossible to get many of the new imported weaves we now show. This stock has been largely increased for this season.

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Hose Section

Children's Picture Patch-work, Cut Out and Paste On. To every pair of Wayne Knit Hose sold, we will give Free one of these Patch-work Pictures.

Every child will want one of these Cutouts. They are instructive and amusing. Wayne Hose are best.—Wayne Hose sell at 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Our Display of
Fancy China and
Glassware

is causing a great deal of favorable comment among the ladies of La Crosse. Just now it is particularly complete and affords the widest possible range of choice.

We are showing Haviland, Syracuse, Alice, Elite, Favorite China, and different patterns of Glassware. Also Cut Glass in Bon Bon Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Nut Bowls, Spoon Trays and Five o'clock Tea Sets. If you are thinking of a wedding or birthday present or of prizes for your bridge party, could you do better than make a selection from these lovely and valued Chinas?

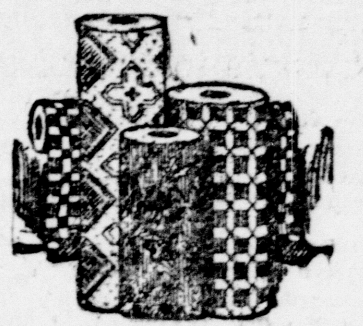
See our Basement.

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Third Floor. Take the Elevator.Remarkable
Closing Out of
Inlaid Linoleum
Remnants

We will not lay them at these prices.

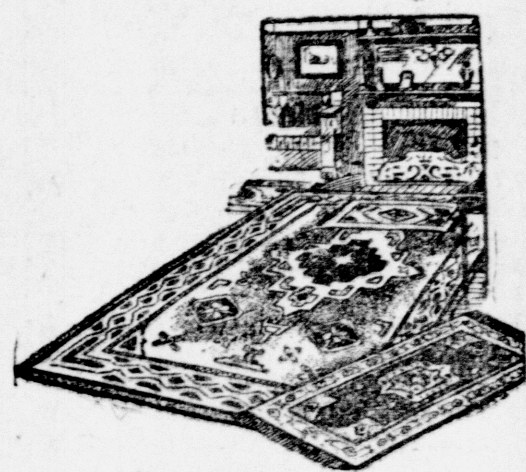
Wild's Inlaid, from 4 to 13 square yards in the piece, \$1.50 quality, Saturday at per square yard \$1.10



Several good patterns to select from.

Those Bundhar and Hardwick

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36x63 inch, drop patterns, \$7.00 value at \$5.00
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French Wilton 36x63 Rugs now at \$7.00
Naturally they are all pretty patterns. They were \$9.50.

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THE TRIBUNE'S
Daily
Short Story

MERELY ACTORS

By THOMAS GRAY FESSENDEN

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The third morning Belden Smith walked past that white farmhouse down the glen road and saw the girl reading beneath the big apple tree, he did something which was a surprise to him for many days after, for Belden Smith was a very self-contained and conventional young man. The first thing that surprised him was that he walked straight into

that farmhouse gate, crossed a bit of lawn to the apple tree, removed his cap and said, "Pardon me, but unless I am greatly mistaken, you are the young lady I pulled out of the water at Long Beach last summer."

And as he spoke he felt the hot blood surging up his neck and into his face, and inwardly he was calling himself all kinds of a cad and covertly wishing the earth would open and swallow him up, for Belden Smith had never seen this girl before.

The truth of the matter was that Belden Smith had found the hotel on the mountain very dull, and the people staying there even more so, and something about this girl under the apple tree had appealed to him strongly, and an overwhelming desire to see her more closely, to speak to her, to hear her voice, had got him into this silly scrape.

What was his surprise then when she looked up quickly with those wonderful dark eyes of hers, smiled prettily, flushed, gave a pleased lit-

tle cry and took his hand in hers. "Well, this is a surprise," she said.

Belden Smith felt the earth tottering beneath his feet in his surprise. He sat down in a nearby chair, which the girl was inviting him to occupy.

"That was a mighty narrow squeak for me," said she. "I should not have gone out so far."

Belden Smith stared. To think that some one had pulled this girl from the water at Long Beach, and he had stumbled upon that very place to mention, and she had mistaken him for her rescuer.

"I—I wasn't at all sure you'd remember me," he said.

"Remember you? How could I ever forget you? You seemed to wear a halo that morning when you came up to me in the water just as I was all in a push against that tide. What a fuss I made!"

"Indeed you didn't! Most people grab you round the neck when you go to their rescue in the water. You didn't do that."

"You were so perfectly splendid about it, and so modest when they tried to make a hero of you."

"It was you who were really splendid, putting up that losing fight as you were when I got to you," said he, hoping he was right. It seemed a safe enough thing to say.

Evidently it was perfectly safe, for she sighed reminiscently.

"I couldn't have lasted much longer," said she.

Belden Smith looked at her closely. She was even prettier than she had seemed from the road. Her hair was dark and wavy and her cheeks smooth and rounded, and she had the nicest voice, he thought at that moment, he had ever heard. Then and there he decided he had saved her at Long Beach. Funny he had stumbled on the exact place and, too, that she had really been saved by somebody. He could scarcely believe in such luck. But he was very happy, sitting there talking to her, and being carefully reminiscent.

They were talking soon like old friends. It was lunch time before he realized it. She was visiting her aunt at the farm and the house was filled with people, else she would insist upon his staying, but she would be here for three weeks and wouldn't he run over to see her often? No, there were no other young people staying at the farm. He mustn't forget.

Belden Smith did not forget. He went to the farm down the glen road the next day and the next and every following day. They walked the hilly roads, they went canoeing on the river, they motored through the surrounding country. Belden Smith found her the most engaging companion, and altogether the most wonderful girl he had ever met. Now and then he had little twinges of conscience. But he put them firmly from him. Of course he had had no

right to speak to her that first day, and perhaps he was inviting disaster in posing as her rescuer. At such times he would make up his mind to tell her the truth the next time he saw her and risk the consequences. But somehow the next day it would look easier to do yet one day further removed. So three weeks went past, and her visit at the farm was drawing to a close.

The last day came and still he had not made his confession. That last afternoon they were to motor together over the Black mountain road. At 2 o'clock Smith came whirling up to the farm in his big gray road car. She was waiting for him under the apple tree where he had first seen her.

Today he had made up his mind to tell her as soon as he saw her, but she looked so very lovely and so very happy that instead he helped her into the car and they went spinning down the road.

It was a cloudless afternoon. A re-

The Return of
Blood Eruptions

No Reason Why Anyone Should Suffer
Such Disheartening Experience.



No case of poisoned blood is ever cured until the last destructive germ has been eliminated from the system. And the only remedy that is assimilated in the tissues and stimulates cellular activity to overcome harmful germs is the famous blood purifier, S. S. S.

The skin is but a fine network of tiny blood vessels, and the specific action of S. S. S. is declared by eminent authorities to be a pronounced stimulation of the activity of these cells.

The reason for this is in the peculiar action of S. S. S. which enables the cells in the skin to select from the blood the nutrient it requires for regeneration.

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This fact has been demonstrated year in and year out in a wonderful number of cases of severe skin eruptions that had seemed to be incurable.

You can obtain S. S. S. at any well stocked drug store, or if you insist upon it, but be sure you are not talked into something "just as good."

S. S. S. is prepared by the Swift Specific Co., 215 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

Write for their illustrated book on skin diseases.

All Clogged Up?
Here's Quick Relief

A Simple Remedy to Correct Constipation Before it Becomes Chronic

Very few people go through life without some time or other being troubled with constipation. Thousands injure themselves by the use of strong cathartics, salts, mineral waters, pills and similar things. They have temporary value in some cases. It is true, but the good effect is soon lost, and the more one takes of them the less effective they become.

A physic or purgative is seldom necessary, and much better and more permanent results can be obtained by using a scientific remedy like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It does not hide behind a high sounding name, but is what it is represented to be, a mild laxative medicine. It is so mild that thousands of mothers give it to tiny infants, and yet it is so compounded, and contains such definite ingredients that it will have equally good effect when used by a person suffering from the worst chronic constipation. In fact, among the greatest endorsers of Syrup Pepsin are elderly people who have suffered for years and found nothing to benefit them until they took Syrup Pepsin.

It is a fact that millions of families have Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin constantly in the house, homes like those of Mr. H. W. Fenstermaker, Siegfried, Pa. He says he has had wonderful results from the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, that in fact, he has never found a remedy so



MR. H. W. FENSTERMAKER

good, and he is glad to recommend it. The special value of this grand laxative tonic is that it is suited to the needs of every member of the family. It is pleasant tasting, mild and non-gripping. Unlike harsh physics, it works gradually and in a very brief time the stomach and bowel muscles are trained to do their work naturally again, when all medicines can be dispensed with.

You can obtain a bottle at any drug store for fifty cents or one dollar. The latter size is usually bought by families who already know its value. Results are always guaranteed or money will be refunded.

Families wishing to try a free sample bottle can obtain it postpaid by addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 415 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. A postal card with your name and address on it will do.

GET \$1,000 FOR TIME

ALLEGED LOBBYIST FOR ANTI-PANAMA TOLL INTERESTS
SAYS ALL HE DID WAS
TAKE NOTES

WASHINGTON, March 13.—How he received a thousand dollar fee and entered into contracts involving \$4,000 contingent fees for doing nothing but attending congressional committee meetings and taking notes, without ever talking with congressmen or senators, was the astonishing tale told the senate lobby committee today by Charles W. DeKnight alleged anti-Panama toll lobbyist.

The money, he said, came from P. T. Bowles of the Fore River Ship Building Company of Quincy, Mass. Asked that the "contingency" was for, which he was to receive \$4,000,

DeKnight replied he was not sure, "but believed it was if the Panama tolls passed in a certain way that the company would build more ships, on which case I should get my \$4,000."

"However," the witness added, "the bill did not pass that way, so I did not get anything but the \$1,000."

"What did you do to earn the fee?" inquired Walsh.

"Oh, there was a lot of work in attending the hearings and making notes," he said.

"Did you talk with any congressmen or senators?"

"No."

"I don't think you were a \$5,000 man," observed Walsh.

DeKnight's feathers with which birds are covered combine the highest degree of warmth with the least weight.



She Looked Constantly
at Her Watch.

Daddy's Bedtime
Story—
Little Cary's
Ninth Birthday
Celebration.

"CARY was nine years old," daddy said. "It was her birthday, and birthdays in her family were great events. First of all, at the breakfast table around her place was a wreath of flowers, and on each plate was a little flower—all simple flowers, but Cary loved them. She was called 'queen of the day' because it was her birthday, and every member of her family gave her nine kisses and said, 'Many happy returns, queen of the day!'"

"The celebration came at 11 o'clock. In Cary's home there was a little porch at the back of the house. In the winter it was inclosed in glass, but in the summer it was covered with beautiful vines. As Cary's birthday came in March, of course the porch was inclosed, but it was fine and sunny."

"The celebration was to be held there. Great secrets were whispered among Cary's family, and from breakfast time until 11 o'clock she was left quite alone."

"A few minutes before 11 Cary's little brother came to her, ringing a large bell. 'Come to the celebration for the queen of the day!' he shouted, and all the family joined in the procession."

"In the center of the porch was a table. And such a marvelously covered table! But, first of all, they seated Cary in a big rocking chair at the head of the table. They were all dressed up in funny costumes which they always wore for birthday celebrations. The table was full of presents, and in the center was a cake with nine lighted candles on it. 'Many happy returns of the day!' they all cried together."

"She opened her presents one by one. She had lovely pink knitted bedroom slippers from her mother, a beautiful doll from her daddy, a workbox from her granma, a paint box from her auntie and a big box of candy from her brother, which he'd bought with his very own saved up money. Cary loved all her presents, and they were all things she wanted very much."

"But, last of all, came a surprise from an uncle who lived way, way off across the water. It was a little silver watch on a band to wear around her wrist. Cary put it right on, and she asked every one to ask her the time. She wanted to be asked the time every minute really so she could look constantly at her watch."

"Then they put on her head a wreath of myrtle, which she was to wear all the day."

"They told her that they had invited all her friends to come to a birthday party they were giving for her that afternoon. Cary felt quite bewildered with such a beautiful birthday. She said it was the nicest birthday that she had ever had."

Heart Beats.

While the heart of the elephant is beating thirty times, that of a human is pulsating seventy

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4—Wed 7,554
5—Thurs 7,562
6—Fri 7,598
7—Sat 7,584
8—Sunday 7,598
9—Mon 7,581
10—Tues 7,587
11—Wed 7,587
12—Thurs 7,587
13—Fri 7,603
14—Sat 7,592

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this 2nd day of March, 1914.

A. E. BLEEKMAN,
Notary Public.

HER EXPERIENCE WITH ASSOCIATED CHARITIES

Today we publish an interesting
letter from Mrs. L. A. Thrall, 423
West Avenue, North, affecting the af-
faires of the Associated Charities.
Mrs. Thrall speaks advisedly, be-
cause having had the misfortune, or
perhaps the good fortune, to be a
recipient of the relief offered by
this institution, she has personal
knowledge of its workings. We of-
fer the letter for what it is worth,
which we deem considerable, and re-
serve our comment for one feature
only.

Mrs. Thrall believes it possible
to interpret our criticism as a reflec-
tion upon the integrity of those in
charge of the work of the Associated
Charities. We had no such intention,
in fact we thought we had carefully
guarded against such an impression,
and we hasten to say that we have
the utmost confidence in the integ-
rity and honesty of purpose of those
who are charged with these impor-
tant duties.

HEAP TOO MUCH BIG TALK

(By F. M. Wylie.)

A "desperate effort" is being made
by progressives to make it appear
that the anti-tax, anti-commission
propaganda is the warwhop of the
stalwart tribe on a raid to regain
their old stamping ground—says Big
Chief Emanuel L. and the Squaw
Men.

But it is only pointing out the ob-
vious.

The Squaw Men too much talk.
They were white men once, you

know, but have adopted, and been
adopted into, the tribe.

And the Big Chief too much write.
If he would be a Jethro Bass, he
should have the sagacity of a Jethro
Bass: "Never write. Send."

For instance:

1. That letter of Big Chief Eman-
uel urging county powwows of the
tribe.

2. That published proposition of
White-man Richmond for a state
pow wow—not a "telephone con-
vention," like in 1912, but a "regu-
lar convention"—of us.

3. That Epistle to the Janesville-
ites by White-man Hoard, that could
all have been said in two words:
"Damn La Follette."

4. White-man Richmond's plaint
that the elective state officers have
not free rein in appointing their as-
sistants and clerks.

So the civil service law is to be re-
pealed too. With us in, it would be
in the way, surely. And with us in,
and the civil service law repealed by
a "repealing legislature," how Big
Chief Emanuel and Little Chief Ike
could slice up the pie.

5. The adverse votes of the In-
dians on the department consolida-
tion bills in 1913.

The progressives asserted their be-
lief that better organization of state
functions could be effected, by their
support in the 1913 legislature of
the bills to consolidate the oil in-
spection and fire marshal depart-
ments in the department of insur-
ance, and upon the defeat of this
plan, in the industrial commission.

Here was a definite, specific propo-
sition to combine into one the three
departments (only one of which, by
the way, was created since 1909, the
end of the Indian regime), to secure
greater efficiency and economy.

But the Indians were against the
bills.

Are the Indians against "bureaus"
and "jobs" and "taxes on the peo-
ple" when the toes of Privilege are
not stepped on? Their votes in the
1913 session are the most recent
record, and an Indian's record is the
only thing about him that it is safe
to tie to. That is why they don't
quote the record much. They are as
skittish as colts when you trot out
statistics or the record. They shy
off and pretend not to know what
they are—because that is the only
thing they can do.

The Indians are against civil ser-
vice—by the record.

And the Indians are against de-
partment consolidation and the less-
ening of jobs unless the change will
weaken the progressives politically or
lessen the efficiency of the admin-
istration of laws inimical to
Privilege—by the record.

Why, with the Indians in the sad-
dle and the embargo of the civil ser-
vice off the jobs, it would be like the
good old days of pap under Peck and
under Scofield. And platform pre-
tensions could be met by lopping off
a bunch of jobs that aren't worth
much politically anyway, because the
holders have to work, and that an-
noy the "business interests" of the
state by enforcing a square deal be-
tween those interests and the people.

Does it require a "desperate ef-
fort" to make it appear that the old
stalwart tribe is on the warpath,
with tomahawk and scalping knife?

Does it require a "desperate ef-
fort" to make it appear that the tax
cry and the bureaucracy yell are but
the warwhops of the tribe, and that
the purpose of the raid is the recap-
ture of the rich hunting ground of
the people's government, with in-
creases in railroad rates, express
rates, telephone rates and other pub-
lic utility rates; with dodged taxes,
dodged employer's liability, unsani-
tary places of employment and long
hours for child and woman labor at
less than living wage, adulterated
foods, a muzzled university, and the
spoils of office with the civil service
law repealed, as the game?

Does it require a "desperate ef-
fort" to make this appear?

Or is it obvious?

Quips and Cranks
and Wanton Wiles

Best
Mother, I see you, with your nurs-
ery light,
Leading your babies all in white,
To their sweet rest:
Christ, the Good Shepherd, carries
mine tonight,
And that is best.

I can not help tears, when I see them
twine
Their fingers in yours, and their
bright curls shine
On your warm breast!
But the Savior's is purer than yours
or mine.
He can love best.

You tremble each hour because your
arms
Are weak; your heart is wrung with
alarms;
And sore oppressed;
My darlings are safe, out of reach of
harm,
And that is best.

You know, over yours may hang
even now,
Pain and disease, whose fulfilling
slow,
Naught can arrest;
Mine in God's gardens run to and
fro,
And that is best.

You know that of yours, your fee-
blest one
And dearest may live long years,
alone,
Unloved, unloved;
Mine are cherished of saints around
God's throne,
And that is best.

You must dread for yours the crime
that sears,
Dark guilt, unwashed by repentant
tears,
And unconfessed;
Mine entered spotless on eternal
years,
O, how much the best!

But grief is selfish; I can not see
Always why I should so stricken be,
More than the rest;
But I know that, as well as for them,
for me
God did the best.
—Helen Hunt Jackson.

Alert for Bunco Men
"There are still a few honest men
left in the world," said J. J. Hill,
the financier, at a banquet. "It is
well to be cautious, but we should
not suspect everybody. If we are too
suspicious we make ourselves ab-
surd."

"I worked in St. Paul in my youth,
and they still tell there about an old
farmer and his wife who started for
St. Paul on a visit.

"Before the couple set off they
were cautioned frequently by their
friends to beware of the St. Paul
sharpers. They replied that they
would keep their eyes open. And they
started on their journey with a nerv-
ous determination to look out for
sharpers and confidence men.

"Well, on the way the old farmer
got off at a junction to buy some
bunch and the train went off without
him. It was a terrible mishap. The
last he saw of his wife she was cran-
ing out of the car window, shouting
something reproachful at him, which

HOW TO SUCCEED

During the last few years, condi-
tions in all lines of business, even
professional life, have changed so
completely that every man is waking
up to the fact that in order to win
success he must specialize and learn
to do some one thing and do it well.

So it is with any article that is sold
to the people. It must have genuine
merit or no amount of advertising
will maintain the demand for the ar-
ticle.

For many years druggists have
watched with much interest the
remarkable record maintained by Dr.
Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great Kid-
ney, Liver and Bladder Remedy.
From the very beginning the prop-
rietors had so much confidence in it
that they invited every one to test it.

They have on file thousands of
unsolicited letters received from for-
mer sufferers who claim they are
now enjoying good health as a result
of its use.

However, if you wish first to try
a sample bottle, address Dr. Kilmer
& Co., Binghamton, N. Y., enclose
ten cents and mention this paper.
They will promptly forward you a
sample bottle by parcel post.

Regular sizes for sale at all drug-
gists—fifty cents and one dollar.

RUB RHEUMATIC,
SORE, ACHING JOINTS

Rub pain right out with a
small trial bottle of pene-
trating old-time St.
Jacobs Oil

Rheumatism is "pain only."
Not one case in fifty requires in-
ternal treatment. Stop drugging!
Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Ja-
cobs Oil" directly upon the "tender
spot" and relief comes instantly.
"St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheu-
matism cure which never disappoints
and can not burn the skin.

Linger up! Quit complaining! Get
a small trial bottle of "St. Jacobs
Oil" from any drug store and in just
a moment you'll be free from rheu-
matic pain, soreness and stiffness.
Don't suffer! Relief and a cure
awaits you. "St. Jacobs Oil" is just
as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lum-
bago, backache, sprains and swell-
ings.

he couldn't hear on account of the
noise of the train.
"It happened that an express came
along a few minutes later. The old
farmer boarded the express and beat
his wife to St. Paul by nearly one
hour.
"He was waiting for her at the sta-
tion when she arrived. He ran up to
her and seized her valise.
"Well, Jane," he said, "I am glad
to see you again. I thought we were
separated for good."
"But the old lady jerked the valise
from him indignantly.
"No, ye don't, Mr. Sharper," she
cried, "I left my husband at the junc-
tion. Don't be comin' any of yer
confidence tricks on me or I'll call
a policeman!"

Telephone Strategy
A young lady took down the re-
ceiver of the telephone one day and
discovered that the line was in use.
"I just put on a pan of beans for
dinner," she heard one woman com-
placently informing another.
She hung up the receiver and wait-
ed for the conversation to end. Upon
returning to the telephone she found
the women still talking. Three times
she waited, and then at last, becom-
ing exasperated, she broke into the
conversation.
"Madam, I smell your beans burn-
ing," she announced, crisply.
A horrified scream greeted the re-
mark, and the young lady was able
to put in her call.—Everybody's Mag-
azine.

Truth is Mighty
A southern lawyer tells of a case
that came to him at the outset of his
career, wherein his principal witness
was a colored man named Jackson,
supposed to have knowledge of cer-
tain transactions not at all to the
credit of his employer, the defend-
ant.
"Now, Jackson," said the lawyer,
"I want you to understand the im-
portance of telling the truth when
you are put on the stand. You know
what will happen, don't you, if you
don't tell the truth?"
"Yassir," was Jackson's reply; "in
dat case I expects our side will win
de case."

Many a "Mickle"
John D. Rockefeller, talking to a
Cleveland clergyman, said one day
with a whimsical but rather sad
smile:
"From the stories that are told
about my love of money and my dis-
regard for humanity, you'd think I
was some such monster as the crim-
inal of the anecdote.
"A judge once said to a terrible
criminal:
"And you actually had the heart
to murder this poor man for a mat-
ter of 50 cents."
"Well, your honor," said the crim-
inal, with an injured innocent air,
"well, your honor, what do you ex-
pect? Fifty cents here—and fifty
cents there—it soon mounts up."

Cheaper in the Balance
"Give me two seats in the bal-
ance," said a man stepping up to the
box office window the other after-
noon.
"In the what?" asked the ticket
seller, fearing that she had misunder-
stood.
"I said I wanted two seats in the
balance," said the man. The ticket
seller racked her brain trying to
solve the puzzle and finally giving it
up, she asked the man to explain
just what he wanted.
"On this sign out here it says, bal-
cony 25 cents for the first three rows.
It says, balance 15 cents. I want two
in the balance."

Then the ticket seller understood.

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& CO.

By
HAROLD MACGRATH
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If the crust of barbarism is thick,
that of civilization is thin enough.
As Warrington went forward, Elsa
stopped, and gradually went back,
not far, but far enough to cause her
to throw down the bars of reserve,
to cease to guard her impulses
against the invasion of interest and
fascination. She faced the truth
squarely, without palter. The man
fascinated her. He was like a por-
trait with following eyes. She spoke
familiarly of her affairs (always
omitting Arthur); she talked of her
travels, of the famous people she
had met, of the wonderful pageants
she had witnessed. And she secretly
laughed at a reproachful conscience
that urged her to recall one of these
laws Elsa herself had written down
to follow: that which forbade a
young unmarried woman to seek the
companionship of a man about whom
she knew nothing. It was not her
fault that, with the exception of
Martha who didn't count, they two
were the only passengers. This con-
dition of affairs was directly charge-
able to fate; and before the boat
reached Rangoon, Elsa was quite
willing to let fate shift and set the
scenes how it would. The first step
toward reversion is the casting aside
of one's responsibilities. Elsa shifted
her cares to the shoulders of fate.
So long as the man behaved him-
self, so long as he treated her with
respect, real or feigned, nothing
else mattered.

The phase that escaped her en-
tirely was this, that had he not
progressed, she would have retained
her old poise, the old poise of which
she was never again to be mistress.
It is the old tale: sympathy to lift
up another first steps down. And
never had her sympathy gone out so
quickly to any mortal. Elsa had a
horror of loneliness, and this man
seemed to be the living presentment
of the word. "What struggles, and
how simply he recounted them!"
What things he had seen, what ad-
ventures had befallen him, what
romance and mystery! She wondered
if there had been a woman in his
life, and if she had been the cause
of his downfall. Every day of the
past ten years lay open for her to
admire or condemn, but beyond
these ten years there was a Chinese
wall, over which she might not look.
Only once had she provoked the
silent negative nod of his head. He
was strong. Not the smallest corner
of the veil was she permitted to turn

SURE INDICATIONS
OF LUNG TROUBLE

Among the indications of threaten-
ed Lung Trouble are a continued
cough, fever and night sweats. A
change of climate often helps, but it
seems that something more is needed
to stop the cough and sweats and ar-
rest the progress of disease. Eck-
man's Alternative, after many years of
use, is known to be most beneficial
in bringing about relief, in many
cases complete recoveries. Investi-
gate this case:— Shell City, Mo.
"Gentlemen: I had a terrible
cough, night sweats and pleurisy in
my lungs. A man who heard me
coughing advised me to take your
Alternative. I paid no attention to
him then. I got so bad the doctor
said I should go to Wyoming. I did,
and when I got there I steadily grew
worse. Then I remembered what had
been told me about your medicine.
I began taking it, with no faith what-
ever, but before I had taken three
bottles, I could eat anything. Fever
and night-sweats stopped and for over
a year I have been well and in
better health than I ever was."
(Affidavit) W. F. BOMAR.
(Above abbreviated; more on re-
quest.)
Eckman's Alternative has been
proven by many years' test to be most
efficacious for severe Throat and
Lung Affections, Bronchitis, Bron-
chial Asthma, Stomach Colds and in
upbuilding the system. Contains no
narcotics, poisons or habit-forming
drugs. Sold by Chas. Benschlag, Geo.
E. Mariner and leading druggists.
Write the Eckman Laboratory, Phil-
adelphia, Pa., for booklet telling of
recoveries and additional evidence.

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Method
of Baking
Cakes

Mrs. Nevada Briggs, the baking expert, says:

"There is just one way to make your cakes rise high and evenly—
give them time to rise before a crust is formed and the batter is
stiffened by cooking."

"If using a gas, gasoline or oil stove, light your oven when you put
the cake in and keep the flame low until the cake has doubled in bulk;
then increase the heat until it is evenly browned and will respond to
the pressure of the finger. If using a coal or wood range, leave the
oven door open until the cake is in; then turn on the drafts and by
the time the oven is at baking temperature, the cake will have
raised sufficiently."

For rich, moist, feathery cakes Mrs. Briggs always recommends

KG BAKING POWDER

It is double acting and sustains the raise.
You can open and close the oven door, turn the
tin around in the oven or do anything else
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Try your favorite cake next time with K C Baking
Powder and see how much higher it will rise. Make it
just as you always do, with the same quantity of baking
powder. While K C is less expensive than the old fash-
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strength and it is guaranteed pure and healthful.

Try a can and be convinced

ment and happiness were two words
which fate had ruthlessly scratched
from his book of days.

Mr. Hooshy had already started
off toward the town, the kit-bag and
the valise slung across his shoul-
ders, the parrot-cage bobbing at his
side. He knew where to go; an ob-
scure lodging for men in the heart of
the business section, known in jest
by the derelicts as The Stranded.
(To be Continued)

A writer has to be fairly success-
ful before the caustic critics begin
to accuse him of plagiarism.

"I Never
Ate Better
Bread"

Although grandmother
has been eating bread
for half a century she
says that no bread ever
tasted better than

Purity
BREAD

Tastes better—Is better

Get a wholesome, deli-
cious loaf of Purity bread
—wrapped in sanitary
wax paper.

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By C. N. PAYNE

"SMATTER, POP?"

HEY, THERE! NOT SO
STRONG ON THAT
CUSHION-THROWING!
THIS IS
A PARLOR, NOT
A BATTLEFIELD

AW LET THAT THERE
CHILDISE!
GOSH SAKES, LET HIM
PLAY

ARE YA
SCARED OF
GITTING HIT?

OF COURSE CHILDREN
IS POWERFUL THROWERS
BUT
I'VE KNOWN PEOPLE TO BE
HIT WITH A CUSHION AN
LIVE.

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Fascinating Spring Time Suits from \$12.50 to \$50.00

The Jackets are short and very loose, with Mandarin, Raglan and set-in sleeves, some have lace or silk collars, others are self-trimmed, but all are more or less dressy in appearance.

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URGES PUBLICITY ABOUT MEXICO

La Follette Would Have President Break His Policy of Silence

CALLS ATTENTION TO CUBAN CASE

Declares Publicity Held Off Spanish War for Years; Urges Confidence in the People

MADISON, Wis., March 13.—(Special.)—Wider publicity on the Mexican situation in the form of special messages to congress is urged by Senator La Follette today. He declares events of recent occurrence in Mexico admonish us that at any moment the fullest publicity as to the loss of life and property for which this government must assume some measure of primary responsibility to foreign powers as well as to our own people.

Senator La Follette says that war with Cuba was avoided for many years because the different presidents had informed congress of events in Cuba as they transpired. His editorial in his magazine today is virtually a call upon President Wilson to break the policy of silence.

"Are we not in danger of holding back the facts until some sweeping acts of violence uncovers a gruesome mass of wrong and horror that will carry us with a rush across the Rio Grande?" asks the senator.

"War with Spain was averted throughout a long period by the administration of both parties pursuing a frank and open policy with congress and the country," continues the senator. "Nothing was concealed. President Cleveland, in his annual message, discussed fully all the then existing conditions, the amount of American capital invested in the island, the enormous losses sustained, the imprisonment and torture and killing of American citizens, and steps taken by the government to redress the wrongs."

"Should a crisis come in the Mexican situation, it is my firm belief that President Wilson would find it infinitely easier to control with steady hand, if in advance, he had reposed the fullest confidence in the American people and submitted to their intelligent judgment every act and fact which concerns this government in its relations to Mexico and the world."

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"COFFINED" PRISONERS SUFFER TORTURES OF THE DAMNED IN MONGOLIAN DUNGEONS



"Coffined" prisoners in a dungeon, at Urga, Mongolia.

A returning traveler from Mongolia brings this picture from the political prison at Urga. Highly civilized Chinese, imprisoned for political offenses, are often shut up for the remainder of their lives in heavy, iron-bound "coffins," out of which they never, under any condition or for any purpose, move. They cannot sit upright; they cannot lie down flat, and they see daylight but a few moments of each day. Their pleas to be taken out and shot are rarely heeded.

LOOK OUT! FRIDAY THE THIRTEENTH

NEW YORK, March 13.—For the second time in the first three months of the year, 1914, this mundane sphere today was confronted with that hideous hoodoo and ogre, Mr. Friday-the-Thirteenth. There will be one more chance this year for the hoodoo to get in his dirty work—on Friday, November the thirteenth. In 1913 there was but one Friday of all

the fifty-two which fell on the thirteenth of the month. That was Friday, June 13. Next year, 1915, there will be but one Friday the thirteenth, when the hoodoo date comes in August of that year.

America. Amerigo Vespucci's letters about the new world were made the basis of a book (about 1507) called "Cosmography," by a certain Waldseemüller, who suggested that, as Amerigo was the discoverer of this "fourth part of the world," it should be called after him. The name took and, first applied to South America, was given later to the entire western continent. James Bryce remarks: "The series of incidents by which the name of a Florentine adventurer was given, first to a continent he probably did not discover and then to another which he never saw, is as curious as anything in geographical history."

Care of Phone. The most scrupulous care should be given the house telephone. Housekeepers should remember that both the transmitter and the receiver will transmit dirt germs and odors. Unscrew the tops of both and sterilize thoroughly. Warm water with weak carbolic acid, or the suds of carbolic acid soap. What care the public phones need can readily be imagined.

New York's Jewels. There are more jewels in the city of New York alone than in any other city of the world.

OPENS COURSE IN MONEY EDUCATION

Thirty-five Hear Prof. Trent Describe Development of Money Last Night

The first lecture in a course on "Money and Banking," held here under the auspices of the University Extension division, was given at the Y. M. C. A. last evening by Prof. Ray S. Trent, of the university of Wisconsin. About thirty-five were present to begin the course.

Prof. Trent prefaced his lecture with a few remarks in which he outlined the purposes of the course, which will consist of six lectures, the last one to be confined to a general discussion of points brought out during the series.

Explains Utility. Beginning with a few of the fundamental concepts of political economy, Professor Trent went on to explain the quality of utility, which he explained, was the attitude of man toward anything. The fact that some things exist in a limited quantity gave rise to the necessity for exchange, and that in turn to the determination of value. Value, he said, refers to the exchange ratio of two goods, expressed in terms of their conventional units, such as bushels, or feet, or pounds.

The speaker then took up the origin and development of money economy. At various times, he said, various commodities were used as money, citing instances in the history of the United States when rice, wampum, beaver skins, tobacco, etc., were used as money. The demand for a medium of exchange, that would be

universally accepted, however, resulted in the origin of money. As money developed, it expanded, first as a commodity, and then specialized.

Money Became Expensive

As money developed it became more expensive, until now practically the entire world is on a gold basis, the kind of money in any community depending on the amount of wealth in that community. There is little demand today, said Professor Trent, for cheaper money, but the need is for a better way of utilizing the purchasing power of the money we have now.

"The standard of value, to which we now come," said the professor, "is one of the most important we have to consider, as it is the thing to which everything else is compared to determine its value. This is the second function of money—it serves as a standard of value—the first function being to serve as a medium of exchange."

The next lecture in the course will be given by Professor Trent at the Y. M. C. A. next Thursday evening.

Advantage of Being Dull.

There is a quality in certain people which is above all advice, exposure or correction. Only let a man or woman have dullness sufficient and they need bow to no extant authority. A dullard recognizes no better; a dullard can't see that he is in the wrong; a dullard has no scruples of conscience, no doubts of pleasing or succeeding or doing right, no qualms for other people's feelings, no respect but for the fool himself. How can you make a fool perceive that he is a fool? Such a person can no more see his own folly than he can see his own ears. And the great quality of dullness is to be unalterably contented with itself.—Thackeray.

Between Tears and Laughter.

"Do you ever think, George, dear," said she, and her voice was soft and low, as befitting the perfect beauty of the night—"do you ever think how closely true happiness is allied with tears?"

"I don't believe I ever do," admitted George dear, "but I will, if you like."

"Yes," she went on, gazing up into his face, and her lips were very close to his. "When one is truly and wholly happy, George, dear, there is but little to divide a smile and a tear."

"Well, that's a fact," assented George dear. "But I never thought of it before. After all, there's nothing but the nose."—London Answers.

Repartee in the Scrappington Home.

Mrs. Scrappington—"You never amounted to anything until I married you. If I were suddenly taken away where would you be?" Mr. Scrappington—"At the funeral, if sober enough to go."

Work and Worry.

You may try to do many a day's work, but you can do only one day's work at a time.

SPOTLIGHTS

"DRIVEN FROM HOME"

Yesterday's matinee witnessed the first performance of the pastoral drama, "Driven From Home," the bill for the last half of the week at the Majestic theater by the Van Dyke and Eaton company. This play proved one of the best pleasers this company has presented, having the homely atmosphere which all can feel and enjoy.

Miss Tolson, as the city girl, who through force of circumstances is driven from home was all that could be desired, bringing a pathetic sweetness to the role which endeared her to all. Mr. Hastings as the young squire was all that a manly lover could be. Mr. Vickery was the true villain of modern drama, and well hated by everyone. Mr. LaRosa made a capital rendition of an absent minded stroller, and Mr. Brandon deserved credit for his portrayal of the old farmer. Miss Stein as the village gossip was good and so was Miss Elliott as the city girl who turned things topsy turvy at the farm.

A splendid feature of the performance was the three reel film picture, "Taxicab 1908," which gave some new and thrilling sensations even for the movies.

Tomorrow afternoon before the matinee, Miss Tolson will collect the autographs of the school children, for which the children will receive five cents each. Miss Tolson has thousands of autographs of children in other cities and she wants to get those of all the children in LaCrosse.

KINETOPHONE TO CANAL ZONE

Edison recently sent his latest invention, the talking pictures, to the Panama canal for the special entertainment of the Canal workers. The party landed in Colon on the Atlantic side of the Isthmus and traversed the entire length of the canal, giving exhibitions in the Y. M. C. A. in each town. In Culebra, Col. Goethals and his staff witnessed the performance and were highly elated over the perfect illusion which was created.

Everywhere the talking pictures were hailed with delight but their effect upon the negroes was most amusing. Many of these negroes have lived in the Canal zone for years and they are extremely ignorant and superstitious. Many of them were terrified when the pictures began to talk, their wonder at the marvelous performance giving way to terror. Some of the children began to cry and many of them had to be removed.

When a minstrel sketch was performed many of the negroes went wild with enthusiasm, shouting to the figures on the screen in their excitement. At the La Crosse Theater Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 13, 14 and 15.

"WIDOW BY PROXY"

Jolly May Irwin, in Catherine Chisholm Cushing's rollicking farce, "Widow by Proxy," will come to the La Crosse Theater Monday night.

March 16, Miss Irwin played at George M. Cohan's Theater, New York, in this joyful laugh-instigator for four months last season. The same cast that supported her there is with her now.

It is said that May Irwin was never funnier than she is in her present play. As a widow, which by the way has become a familiar role, she is apparently in the height of her glory. However, in this piece, Miss Irwin is not a widow in the true sense of the word. She makes up her mind to be one, when a bosom friend refuses to enter the home of her husband's people in order to obtain her rightful share to a legacy left by the rich uncle of her supposed dead husband. In the guise of the widow, Miss Irwin cuts up all kinds of capers, that keep the audience in one continuous roar of laughter.

"THE TRAFFIC"

"The Traffic," Rachael Marshall's new four act drama of white slavery, which has been packing Howard's Theater, Chicago, for many weeks, will be seen at the La Crosse Theater on Tuesday, March 17, matinee and night.

It was in Oakland, Cal., that Chief of Police Peterson closed it after two performances, on the ground that it was a "play unfit for the public to see."

Prominent club women and social workers protested in behalf of them-

selves and their various organizations against the action of the chief of police. A battle opened before the city council to secure a remanding of the chief's decree on the grounds that the play in itself taught a "strong moral lesson."

Miss Ida Green represented the Young Women's Christian association as its secretary and spoke in behalf of "The Traffic," declaring that there was not one line in the play that would lure a man or woman into the life of vice which she said it so vividly portrayed to the benefit of the young and unsophisticated. "We need plays like 'The Traffic,'" declared Miss Green, "to warn women and girls of the dangers that confront them."

An Appeal To Wives

You know the terrible affliction that comes to many homes from the result of a drinking husband or son. You know of the money wasted on "Drink" that is needed in the home to purchase food and clothing. ORRINE has saved thousands of drinking men. It is a home treatment and can be given secretly. Your money will be refunded if, after a trial, it has failed to benefit. Costs only \$1.00 a box. Come in and get a free booklet and let us tell you of the good ORRINE is doing. O. T. Erhart, 518 Main St.

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MARCH 14 at 9 A. M. SHARP
THE L. D. PEET STORE, 419 Main Street.
Look for the large Red Canvas Sign.

The Casino

"PEG O' THE MOVIES"

—Today—

(You have all read the story in the Ladies' World—if not you missed something fine—)

Two reels—see them

WON'T INTERFERE FOR DYNAMITERS

Wilson Will Not Pardon Men Convicted of Country-wide Destruction

WASHINGTON, March 12.—There will be no executive clemency at this time in the cases of the former officials of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron workers, whose conviction for implication in the country-wide dynamiting conspiracy that culminated in the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building has been affirmed by the supreme court.

This became known today when it was stated that Senator John W. Kern, who was counsel for the convicted men, has refused to press an appeal to President Wilson for pardon. It is understood Kern received an intimation that President Wilson saw no reason for any interference with the mandate of the law.

It was understood that although Senator Kern would take no action along this line, the president will appeal by Representative Buchanan of Illinois, and other labor men in the house to consider the claims of former President Ryan and his associates. It can be stated, however, on high authority, that the president will not interfere.

DUEL GIVES SATISFACTION

PARIS, March 12.—In a real duel with rapiers, Pierre Frondaie today was twice wounded in the arm by Jacques Richepin. Richepin considered his honor satisfied.

It was an old fashioned duel with all the traditional trimmings. Richepin was the challenger. He is the son of Jean Richepin, the poet. The younger Richepin and Frondaie jointly wrote a play, "Aphrodite" and their quarrel resulted from a disagreement about rehearsals.

BOUGHT ASSASSINS TO KILL MAN SHE BLAMED FOR DEATH OF DOG?

NEW YORK, March 12.—Arrest of a wealthy woman who lives in luxurious apartments in a leading Broadway hotel was expected today following charges by the police that she offered three gangsters \$500 to murder Maurice Keating, rich contractor in revenge for the death of her pet dog.

Police last night arrested Harry Bressler and Stanley Harmer, who admit membership in the "Dopey Benny" gang, for assault on Keating, who was slashed in the face with a knife February 25.

Detectives got their first clue when the gangsters and the woman quarreled because she paid them only \$200 for the attack on Keating, when \$500 had been promised. The woman is said to have refused the full amount because Keating was not murdered. An influential man, said to have been the go-between for the woman and gangsters, will also be arrested, police say.

Keating, a month before he was attacked, found a fine dog dead on the roof of the apartment where he lives. He took it to the woman who charged he killed the dog. Keating later was acquitted in court of killing the brute.

RUSHFORD, MINN.

Mr. Alfred Erickson, who for some months has been employed at The Corner Drug store, has severed his connection with that place and has, with Mrs. Erickson, gone to Chicago to make their future home.

Miss Nellie Towey, an instructor in our city schools, was the guest of friends in Winona last Friday and Saturday.

A number of residents have changed their location in the city recently. Rev. Foster and family have moved into the rectory of the Episcopal church, and Mr. Schonsby and family, who have been occupying that place, have moved into the Bradland residence near the flour mills. Mr. Ristey, the new manager of the Rushford Star-Republican, has moved his family into the rooms over part of E. N. Vigard's grocery store.

Next Saturday evening Rushfordites will have the opportunity of hearing Mr. J. F. Doherty of La Crosse in his lecture "Chivalry."

We are glad to say that the recent rumor concerning the moving away of Mr. Plonty and family has no foundation, whatever, as Mr. Plonty himself assures us. He has

no intention of leaving, being well satisfied with Rushford and his work.

St. Joseph's church of this city has been temporarily wired for electric lights during the season of Lent and we understand that permanent wiring will be done in the near future.

An experimental wireless apparatus has been put up by some of the boys in the physics class at the high school and the apparatus gave clear signals the length of the room.

The members of the high school sewing club have completed some very fine pieces of work in the shape of gingham dresses.

There was no school held here last Friday in order that city instructors might go up to Winona to attend the Southern Minnesota educational convention, held in the latter city, March 5, 6 and 7.

Mrs. Edith Brown and little child who have been the guests of relatives in and around Rushford for some weeks, have returned to their home in Beach, N. D. Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Edith Henze.

At the city caucus held Tuesday evening of this week the following ticket was nominated: For mayor, M. Johnson; councilmen, Otto Julius, Conrad Eggen, Andrew Tagliand, J. C. Robertson, Albert Steeland; justice, M. Eichen; constable, D. McCormick.

Mrs. Will Baerman has been a recent guest of friends and relatives in and around Houston.

Mr. William Bryne will hold an auction of farm machinery, stock, etc., at his farm on March 19.

One or two citizens insist that they heard a robin during the past warm spell, but we are inclined to think that the report should be taken with a goodly portion of salt since it is rather fresh.

Mr. and Mrs. Helleland of Ferry street entertained a number of friends and neighbors at their home last Sunday.

Extra fine specials will be run at the Elite during the coming evenings, chief among them being "Quo Vadis," "Checkers," "Arizona," and for St. Patrick's day "Kathleen Mavourneen."

U. S. WANTS TO BORROW BADGER

MADISON, Wis., March 12.—(Special.)—William M. Leiserson, superintendent of Wisconsin free employment offices, has been asked by the federal commission on industrial relations to take charge of its department on unemployment. His request for leave of absence is being considered by the state industrial commission.

Why Firemen Hurry.

Little Ross, aged seven, had been around the corner inspecting the fire station. He came home to tell his mother of what he had seen there. He said:

"And, mamma, even if they are just in the middle of sweeping the floor, they drop the broom and rush off to the fire, and even in the night time when they are in bed if the bell rings they jump up and dress and go to the fire, 'cause if they didn't do that when they got there the fire would be all out."—Delineator.

CHEAP FARES TO PACIFIC COAST VIA CHICAGO AND NORTH WESTERN RY.

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TROUBLE AHEAD FOR THE SIEGELS

District Attorney Says Fifty Indictments May Be Found Against Each Defendant.

MAY SERVE FIFTEEN YEARS

Indicted Yesterday for Grand Larceny and Accepting Deposits While Insolvent

NEW YORK, March 12.—A sweeping investigation of the affairs of Henry Siegel & Company was under way here today with the possibility of it being extended to include the Boston Siegel store and the Chicago establishment.

Assistant District Attorney Train in charge of the case, declared that the three indictments returned against Siegel and Frank E. Vogel yesterday were merely preliminary action. He intimated that fifty indictments might be found against each of the men before the investigation is completed. Siegel and Vogel are now at liberty on \$25,000 bail and will appear before Judge Rosalsky next Wednesday, at which time their pleas of not guilty may be amended if they desire.

If found guilty on all counts of the indictments charging the grand larceny of \$25,000 and accepting deposits in an insolvent bank returned yesterday they may have to serve at least fifteen years in the penitentiary and pay fines of \$3,000. The investigation so far has only been in relation to the New York stores and the private bank of Siegel.

GREEN BAY MUST REFUND \$73.35

MADISON, Wis., March 12.—(Special.)—The state railroad commission in a decision today gave the Brown Deer Lumber & Fuel company a refund of \$73.35 from the Green Bay & Western railroad for overcharges on a shipment of five carloads of slabs from New London to La Crosse. The Rusk Box & Furniture company was given a refund of \$40 from the Soo road for overcharges on a shipment of ten carloads of lumber from Switch to factory in the village of Hawkins.

DIES OF HYDROPHOBIA

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 13.—Bitten by a mad dog last August, Fred M. Green, a paper manufacturer, died in agony from hydrophobia at Cobb hospital today. Seven persons were bitten by the dog and all took the Pasteur treatment. None of the others has shown signs of rabies. Green noticed a slight pain in his arm on Monday which rapidly grew worse.

SOLVE FOREIGN LETTERS

MADISON, Wis., March 12.—Letters in at least five different languages are received at the state industrial commission. It is possible to translate most of these letters at the office by the present force. Others are sent to the university.

MEXICAN WAR PICTURES

With General Villa, right from the field of action. You've read about it, now see it. Sunday only, March 15th. Fine program today and Saturday, including Keystone comedy.

STAR THEATRE

SUITS, COATS, SKIRTS, SHIRTWAISTS



SPRING SHOWING Saturday

SUITS at \$16.50, \$17.50, \$19.50 & \$25

COATS at \$5.75, \$6.95, \$10.95 & \$17.50

SKIRTS at \$3.95, \$5.75, \$9.00 & \$11.75

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Winter COATS and FURS

Saturday at prices that it will pay to buy a Coat for every day wear.

Poehling's 114 S. 4th St.

(Wanted German Saleslady)

LOST ON HONEYMOON FOUND YEARS LATER DEAD IN BUNKHOUSE

CHICAGO, March 13.—Horace Greeley Clarke, former Chicago attorney, died in a laborer's boarding house at Cudahy, Wis., after disappearing twelve years ago. He was a victim of amnesia, according to the opinion of most of his former associates today.

Clarke, a nephew of the late Governor Kirkwood of Iowa, disappeared July 1, 1902, and it was reported he had fallen from a steamer bound from Chicago to Milwaukee. His bride of six months, who was traveling with him, offered a reward for the body, but it was never found.

One week ago a laborer boarding at the home of Julius Bartz, in Cudahy, died from an overdose of morphine. He was known simply as "Harrie" among the boarders, but one man supplied his full name and a sister, Mrs. T. D. Carson of Iowa City, Iowa, identified the body yesterday.

Physicians believe Clarke's mind may have become a blank in his struggle to get ashore when he fell from the steamer.

SEEK DEATH TOGETHER

MOTHER AND SON TRY SUICIDE TOGETHER WHEN SON IS UNABLE TO FIND WORK

NEW YORK, March 13.—Stoutly refusing to reveal her identity or that of a young man she calls her son, a middle aged woman who gave only the name of "Mrs. Miller" was confined at the Knickerbocker hospital here today after having endeavored to carry out a suicide pact with young "Miller" in a Cathedral Parkway apartment house.

Mrs. Miller and her son rented a furnished apartment for the express purpose of ending their lives. They paid \$55 rent and Mrs. Miller inquired especially as to whether the gas was turned on. Early today other tenants smelled gas and investigation disclosed the couple partially overcome in their apartment. They were rushed to the hospital and will recover.

"Just call me Mrs. Miller," said the woman. "My son is Samuel J. Miller. We became desperate when my son, who is an advertising man, could not find work."

SHRINERS BACK HOME.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 13.—Arriving here early today from Manila, where they installed 150 novices, 150 nobles of the Mystic Shrine, representing temples from all over the United States, prepared to scatter to their homes. The party left Seattle December 30, making the longest pilgrimage in the history of the order.

NELSON FUNERAL SATURDAY

The funeral of Mr. Johannes Nelson will be held from Peter Nelson's residence at 1:30 p. m. tomorrow afternoon and at 2:30 p. m. from the Charles St. Lutheran church, Rev. Vik will officiate.

The Order of Fools.

On Nov. 12, 1381, the Order of Fools was instituted by Adolphus, count of Cleves. Members were not by any means idiots, however, for the word had a different meaning then. They were the prototype of our modern fraternal orders, doing a similarly benevolent work. Their insignia consisted of a mantle, upon the left shoulder of which was embroidered a jester, or fool, in cap and bells, yellow hose and silver vest. So these cheery, useful jokers had a bright, happy outlook upon life and met together to dispense the earnest of their beautiful existence at stated intervals, the chief day of which was Nov. 12.

CURB THE TEMPER.

The peculiarity of ill temper is that it is the vice of the virtuous. It is often the one blot on an otherwise noble character. You know men and women who are all but perfect but for an easily ruffled, quick tempered or "touchy" disposition. This compatibility of ill temper with high moral character is one of the strangest and saddest problems of ethics.

MORE MALES THAN WOMEN IN STATE

107.4 Men to Every 100 of the Gentler Sex in Wisconsin Says Report

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The composition and characteristics of the population of Wisconsin, as reported at the thirteenth decennial census, are given in an advance bulletin soon to be issued by Director Durand of the bureau of the census, department of commerce and labor. It was prepared under the supervision of William C. Hunt, chief statistician for population.

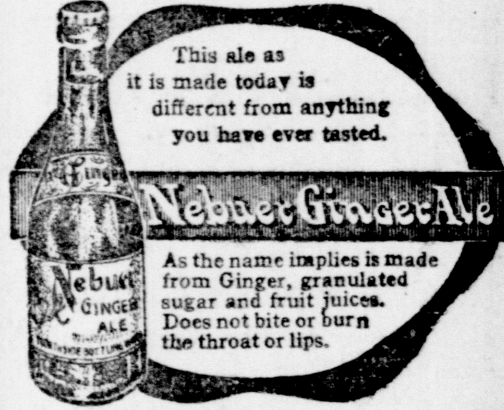
Color and Nativity

Of the total population of Wisconsin, 763,225, or 32.7 per cent, are native whites of native parentage; 1,044,761, or 44.7 per cent, are native whites of foreign or mixed parentage, and 512,569, or 22 per cent, are foreign born whites. The corresponding percentages in 1900 were 28.3, 46.2 and 24.9, respectively, the proportion of native whites of native parentage having increased somewhat during the decade. In only 2 of the 71 counties is the percentage of foreign born whites less than 10, in 7 it is between 10 and 15, in 48 between 15 and 25, 12 between 25 and 35, and in 2 exceeds 35. The percentage of native whites of foreign or mixed parentage ranges generally higher, exceeding 35 in 63 counties.

In the total population of the state there are 1,208,578 males and 1,125,282 females, or 107.4 males to 100 females. In 1900 the ratio was 106.6 to 100. Among native whites the ratio is 101.6; among foreign born whites, 130.8 to 100. In the urban population there are 101.7 males to 100 females, and in the rural, 111.9.

Germans in Lead

Of the foreign born white population of Wisconsin, persons born in Germany represent 45.5 per cent; Norway, 11.1; Austria, 7.5; Russia, 5.8; Sweden, 5; Canada, 4.9; Denmark, 3.2; Ireland, 2.7; England, 2.7; all other countries, 11.6. Of the total white stock of foreign origin, which includes persons born abroad and also natives having one



North Side Bottling Works
La Crosse, Wis.

or both parents born abroad, German contributed 51 per cent; Norway, 3.4; Russia, 2.9; Denmark, 1.0; Austria, 5.2; Canada, 5; Ireland, 4.8; Sweden, 3.6; England, 2.5.

50,000 MOURN INVENTOR

PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 13.—More than 50,000 men employed by Westinghouse plants in both hemispheres will observe a solemn holiday tomorrow in respect to the memory and work of George Westinghouse, who died yesterday in New York, according to announcement today.

GIRLS' LIVES WORTH \$75

NEW YORK, March 13.—After a legal battle of nearly three years, administrators of the estates of 23 of the victims of the Triangle Shirtwaist factory fire today settled on the basis of \$75 each.

These amounts will not be paid by Harris and Blanck, proprietors of the factory, or Joseph E. Asch, owner of the building in which 148 employees were burned to death, but by an employers' liability company.

It is understood that many other cases of the 148 victims of the disaster also have been settled out of court.

Dry Catarrh, Cold in Head, Sneezing, Stopped Up Nose

Coughing, Hacking, Nose Running, Dry Nose, Coryza, Ringing Ears, Deafness, Relieved in One Minute.

KONDON'S Original and Genuine Catarrhal Jelly does all this quick. We can prove it. We have thousands of unsolicited testimonials written us by grateful users in the past twenty-two years. Go to any drug store, get a small tube of Kondon's (don't take a substitute), you will receive more benefit than from any like remedy ever used—you to be the judge. Money refunded, if wanted, and no quibbling.

Kondon's melts and penetrates when placed in the nostrils. It be-

gins to do good instantly. It touches the sore spots, heals the raw places, removes the scabs, makes life worth living.

Use Kondon's tonight at bedtime. You will breathe through your nose, rest well and feel fine in the morning. Get a 25-cent tube today or send us 10 cents for a generous size physician's sample and book on how to treat catarrh and colds.

Sixteen million tubes have been sold; not one hundred users have asked for money back. The proof is 99.99-100 per cent in our favor. Don't delay, write now to Kondon Manufacturing Company, Minneapolis, Minn.—Advertisement.

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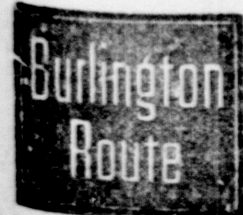
San Francisco, Los Angeles or San Diego \$37.51
Portland, Tacoma, Seattle or Vancouver \$32.89
Salt Lake City, Ogden or Glenwood Springs \$32.04
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Low One Way Settlers' Rates to Eastern Montana Every Tuesday during March and April.

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You will be delighted with the new style and beauty of our Hats. Whether you are prepared to buy this week or not, come in and look around. Our prices are so remarkably moderate, they will surprise you.

Two Corset Specials For Saturday

Special for 59c

Special for 79c

New low bust long models with elastic straps, value \$1.00, at

New models, fancy materials, styles for stout figures with reducing strap, styles and sizes for every figure, values to \$2.25 at

59c

79c

Our Extensive Showing of Hair Goods Continues a Few Days More.

Are you in need of a Switch, Transformation or anything in this line? If so, come in and consult our Expert Hair Goods Specialist from one of the leading hair goods manufacturers. She has a complete assortment of everything in Hair Goods with her.

A special discount on all Hair Goods for Saturday.



DESPERADO AT BAY IN ILLINOIS FIELD

Survivor of Quartet of Mexican Bandits Holds Off Posse from Corn

KILLED ONE AND WOUNDED TWO

Shot Engineer on Train and Two Officers; Two Are Shot and Captured

PEORIA, Ill., March 13.—In a hand to hand encounter with members of a pursuing posse, the third member of a gang of four Mexicans who shot and killed Art Fisher of Pekin, Ill., Chicago & Northwestern engineer, and wounded two county officers near Manlius early today was captured in a corn field near Langley at noon today. The other members of the gang, badly wounded, are in custody at Langley, and possess from Peoria, Sheffield, Manlius and Princeton are trailing the fourth man with bloodhounds.

Surrounded by a sheriff's posse in a cornfield near Manlius the bandit made a desperate fight to resist capture. Two other members of the band were wounded by the officers' bullets and were captured. They are being rushed to Princeton in automobiles to escape lynching at the hands of angry Manlius citizens.

The two officers wounded in the gun battle that followed the hold-up are Leslie Byers, son of Sheriff Charles Byers of Princeton, and Bert Skoglund, deputy sheriff of Princeton. Skoglund has a slim chance for recovery. Young Byers is not seriously injured.

At 10 o'clock this morning the posse after the Mexican hiding in the cornfield received reinforcements and more ammunition and his capture was a matter of a short time. The fourth Mexican in the band made his escape. Bloodhounds will be put on his trail. Excitement in Manlius and surrounding villages is running high and a lynching is feared.

It was reported that the Mexicans had been drinking and fearing arrest demanded that the crew take the train through Manlius without stopping. The engineer refused to comply and was shot down.

MANY ACCEPT BID TO FARMER FEAST

Acceptances to Community Banquet Pour in Upon H. C. Evenson, General Chairman

THE THIRTY WANT FREE BRIDGE

Present Petition to the Council Tonight Demanding Removal of the Toll for Crossing River

Acceptance to invitations to the community banquet to be held March 24, at Germania hall, are today pouring in upon H. C. Evenson, general chairman of the committee of thirty local business men who will entertain 300 farmers upon that occasion.

Sent Tuesday

The invitations were sent out Tuesday, and answers, all of which have been acceptances, began to come in yesterday.

An oddity among the acceptances was that from a farmer in the county, who filled in the space left on the return card for indicating his method of coming to the city for the feast, with the information that he was coming by "hand." Dr. Evenson confesses that he is considerably mystified over the method of locomotion to be pursued by this particular guest.

For Free Bridge

That a free bridge will be one of the chief topics of discussion at the banquet is indicated by the fact that the thirty business men backing the movement have prepared a petition to the common council, demanding a free bridge, which will be presented at tonight's meeting of the aldermen.

The petition was sent in to the city clerk today, signed by H. C. Evenson and the other members of the banquet committee.

Big 5 Reel Show

AT THE LYRIC

Tonight and Saturday, featuring

Capt. Jenny S. A.

A three reel Gold Seal picture, and

A Brand New Animated Weekly

Direct from New York.

SEE THIS ALL FEATURE SHOW

BRITISH SECRET CODE OF NAVAL SIGNALS IS STOLEN FROM WARSHIP

LONDON, March 13.—Foreign spies today were the quarry of scores of Scotland Yard detectives and secret agents of the British admiralty, as the result of the clever theft from a warship at Sheerness, of a secret naval code book.

With the aid of the stolen volume, the veriest amateur could make out the confidential signals between warships in times of war. For that reason the admiralty officials are convinced that the book has fallen into the hands of a foreign government.

According to the story, reluctantly made public by the officials, after days of fruitless search, the code book was obtained by a carefully planned ruse. It was kept on file with other books and documents in the cabin of the ship's commander. A dummy volume, bound exactly like the signal book, was substituted for it, and for days the false book fooled official inspection.

DEATH COMES AT 6:35 O'CLOCK AT MACDONALD HOME

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nomination as a means of settling the three-cornered fight between General Bragg, Senator Mitchell and Knight. Mr. Woodward refused to enter the race and worked for General Bragg, with whom he was associated in the Iron Brigade and in the Loyal Legion.

Born in Washington

Hon. Gilbert Motier Woodward was born in Washington, D. C., December 25, 1835. He learned the printer's trade in Baltimore, being apprenticed in 1850. He worked as a printer and proof reader in the latter city, at Upper Marlborough, Md., and at Washington, D. C., until the beginning of the year 1860.

In Washington he was employed the greater part of the time on the National-Intelligencer. In February, 1860, he removed to La Crosse and entered upon the study of law and was taken in the office of Messmore & McKenney. He was admitted to the bar at Black River Falls, Wis., Judge George Gale presiding, but he did not immediately enter upon the practice of his profession, as it was at the time that the civil war broke over this country.

was president of the associated charities, resigning three years ago, when the present head, E. S. Hebbard, was chosen to succeed him.

To Col. Woodward much credit is due for the present high state of perfection of the public library. The fund of General Washburn was not of sufficient size to fully equip the library and Col. Woodward, through his influence, made possible the donation to the Washburn library of all of the books of the Young Men's Library association of which he was one of the organizers, in 1868. So interested was he in this first library of pioneer La Crosse, which started modestly, that it was a not unusual sight to see him with a number of books under his arm, walking down to replenish the library shelves.

Wife Died in 1868

One of the saddest incidents in the life of Col. Woodward, and one of which he seldom if ever spoke, was the death of his wife, in 1868. He had been married but a year when she passed away. While this affected him deeply he was not the type to expose his sorrow to the public gaze.

Col. Woodward was for many years active as a member of the Loyal Legion, the civil war officers' organization.

He was also active in charitable organizations and, unknown to all but his closest friends, was conducting numerous private charities.

WOODWARD FOUND PAPERS SIGNED BY WASHINGTON

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was that silence which precedes a fierce action. The men talked in low tones, each man knowing that the end of the battle might find him dead.

To Defend Hill

"I can see plainly the road down which we marched. It was just at the time of the year when the wheat was ripe and on each side of the road it waved in golden colors. A rail fence bordered the fields and I took down part of this, our line of march taking us through the wheat and to a hill, our duty it was to hold.

"We had scarcely gained the hill," said Colonel Woodward, "when the firing commenced. We could see the rebels in the distance and our own men spreading out in beautiful lines. As the fight drew nearer to the hill the detachment of which I was a member became engaged. After one of our first volleys I was wounded in the arm. I saw little of the fighting after the first bloody day, owing to my wound." In this battle Mr. Woodward was aid de camp to General Meredith.

How Woodward secured the copy of a book for his commanding officer is another interesting story. Always a great reader Colonel Woodward became known throughout the regiment for his knowledge of literature and history.

His commanding officer told him of a book named "Kaloola," a fictional composition dealing with explorations in the wilds of Africa. Col. Woodward had never heard of the book and his curiosity was aroused. He promised to try and secure a copy. On his first furlough he visited the city of Washington and spent the day visiting old book shops in a vain search for the volume. He was successful.

His regiment was camped near the city of Washington and that night, returning, he crossed the Potomac. Passing Arlington, the estate of General Robert E. Lee, commander in chief of the rebels, he noticed a broken down army wagon. His curiosity aroused he made a further examination. The seat was a box and opening the top he fumbled underneath. The first thing he drew out was a bottle of whiskey. He explored further, groping beneath the seat in the darkness, and his hand touched what appeared to be a number of loose sheets of paper. He drew it out and found he had unearthed a book, the cover of which had been torn off. He carried it into camp to peruse it by the light of the campfire. On the frontispiece was the name "Kaloola."

RUMOR OF REVIVAL OF EMBARBO ON ARMS TO MEXICO

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Venustiano Carranza to investigate the execution of Benton, an Englishman, and the disappearance of Gustave Bauch, an American, today issued a denial that the commission has made any report in the matter to Carranza or to anybody else. He branded as false a report circulated here and in Juarez that the commission had found that both Benton and Bauch were murdered and that two high officers of General Villa's rebel army, one in Juarez and one in Chihuahua, were the murderers.

Passengers who arrived from Chihuahua today brought rumors that Major Rudolf Fierla, a relative of Valla and army officer, had been arrested charged with murdering two American railroad men, and that he was the man believed responsible for Benton's death.

THREE MEN ARE OUT FOR BOARD

Three men have already announced their candidacy for positions on the first county board of education to be elected in La Crosse county. The candidates are T. W. Whitbeck of the town of Onalaska; F. I. Bolles of the village of West Salem, and Peter Markel of the town of Shelby.

TO ADDRESS WORKERS

John J. Scannell, representative of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union of Detroit, will deliver an address before the Trades and Labor council of La Crosse tonight at the Trades and Labor hall.

ECZEMA Psoriasis or Itching

Prof. J. Blanchard, Skin Specialist, 3811 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, will help you

FREE Diagnose Your Skin Disease

also state how the disease will act and its progress under the use of Blanchard's Eczema Lotion. How many can do this? Write for symptom blank to fill out.

Sold at Drug Stores

FOREST M. MERCIER TUBERCULOSIS TAKES

After two years' struggle under the grip of tuberculosis, Forest Mathew Mercier, son of Eli Mercier, well known farmer of West La Crosse, died at his home last night at 11:30 at the age of 24 years. Mr. Mercier was born in La Crosse and has lived here all his life. Surviving are his father, Eli Mercier, and one sister, Ruth, at home, and four brothers, George, Harry, Earl and Henry, all of La Crosse. The funeral announcements will be made later.

FRECKLES

February and March Bring Out Un-sightly Spots. How to Remove Easily

The woman with tender skin dreads February and March because they are likely to cover her face with ugly freckles. No matter how thick her veil, the sun and winds have a strong tendency to make her freckle. Fortunately for her peace of mind the recent discovery of a new prescription ointment—double strength, makes it possible for even those most susceptible to freckles to keep their skin clear and white. No matter how stubborn a case of freckles you have, the double strength ointment should remove them. Get an ounce from O. T. Erhart and banish the freckles. Money back if it fails.

PLEADED FOR MEN TO RE-ENTER CLUB

Inquest Witness Tells How Young Women Urged Escorts to Go Back to Burning Building

ST. LOUIS, March 13.—How three young women pleaded piteously with three young men to re-enter the burning Missouri Athletic club, after they had escaped from the building last Monday morning, when thirty or more persons were burned to death or killed, was told at the inquest over the bodies of the victims, begun today before Coroner Padberg.

"Oh, please, go back. Do me a favor and do go back. You must go back."

This it was testified, was what one of the girls said to her escort. None of the party re-entered the building. One man walked to the entrance and stopped.

Bodies of three more M. A. C. fire victims were uncovered this morning by the day shift of searchers, bringing the total of bodies recovered to twenty-three.

Seven or more are believed to be in the ruins.

NORMALS BEAT NOONS

In the volley ball games yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. the Normals took three straight from the Noons and the Laws took two out of three from the Doctors. Following are the standings:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Schweizer's Laws	5	3	.625
Moore's Normals	3	3	.500
McCormick's Highs	4	4	.500
Rowlinson's Docs	4	4	.500
Hankerson's Noons	5	6	.454
Seullin's Mails	3	5	.375

TRY THIS IF YOU HAVE DANDRUFF

Or Are Bothered with Falling Hair or Itching Scalp

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft and look and feel a hundred times better.

If you want to keep your hair looking rich, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for nothing destroys the hair so quickly. It not only starves the hair and makes it fall out, but it makes it stringy, straggly, dull, dry, brittle and lifeless, and everybody notices it. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and four ounces is all you will need. This simple remedy has never been known to fail.

OPEN CONVENTION OF LUTHERANS HERE

Twelve Pastors and Forty Laymen From Out of the City Attend

With a sermon last night by Rev. C. H. Jelseth of Nelson, Wis., the semi-annual convention of the La Crosse district of the Norwegian Lutheran church opened at the West Avenue Norwegian Lutheran church. About twelve pastors and upwards of forty laymen from out of town, besides residents of the city, attended the meeting.

Rev. Jelseth introduced the text of devotion for the convention, Titus 2: 11-15: "For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men:

"Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world;

"Looking for the blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the Great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ;

"Who gave himself for us, that He might redeem us from all iniquity, and purify unto himself a peculiar people, zealous of good works."

"These things speak and exhort, and rebuke with all authority. Let no man despise thee."

The discussion of the text was opened this morning by Rev. A. Forness of Winona, and was joined in by a number of the visiting pastors. This evening Rev. E. O. Hofstad of Viroqua, will preach in English and a large attendance is expected at the services.

WATCH WIRE FENCE MACHINE AT WORK

A committee of the industrial association today saw in operation a machine for the manufacture of woven wire fencing, which W. S. Clay of Hutchinson, Wis., has patented, and with which he desires to equip a factory in this city. The machine was shown in operation at the Stamping and Tool company. It is along a line entirely different from other machines for the same purpose. Mr. Clay has been negotiating for terms under which to come to La Crosse for some months.

THE GERMAN CLUB FAVORS SUFFRAGE

The affirmative of the question, "Resolved, that woman suffrage should be adopted in Wisconsin," was unanimously in the debate staged last night by the German club at the normal school. The affirmative was upheld by O. L. Meer, F. W. Kuehl and O. Simonsen, while A. P. Euler, Fred Reimers and W. W. Huber took the negative. Preceding the talk, Dr. F. W. Wech gave a very interesting talk on the origin and the evolution of the German language, comparing its qualities with those of the English tongue. Miss Marcella Keller rendered a vocal solo accompanied by Miss Charlotte Hartel.

VOTE ON S. G. A.

MADISON, Wis., March 12.—A record vote by students was being made today on student self government, which was before them in the shape of a referendum. Class officers and officers of the S. G. A. and the Daily Cardinal are also to be elected.

WILL LAY PLANS FOR THE HEARING

Call Meeting in Caledonia on the 18th and Invite Local Men to Help Preserve Train Service

Notice of a preliminary meeting of the persons interested in preserving the morning train from LaCrosse on the Reno-Preston branch of the Milwaukee was sent to Secretary Urmoech of the board of trade this morning by O. K. Dahl, who has been retained as attorney of the Commercial club of Caledonia to represent them at the hearing of the railroad and warehouse commission April 7.

The preliminary meeting will be held in Caledonia March 18 at 11 a. m., according to Mr. Dahl's letter. Representatives from La Crosse are invited to attend the meeting, and it is expected that the secretary of the local board and the railroad committee will attend, as well as several others who are directly interested.

Delegates are expected to attend for the purpose of laying out a plan of action to be pursued at the hearing before the commission in April.

GIRLS FACE WANT WHEN FIRM FAILS

More Than 500 Destitute When Courts Close the Siegel Stores in New York

NEW YORK, March 13.—Caught in the maelstrom of failure which has swept the New York stores of Henry Siegel & Co., to ruin, more than 500 girls, it was said here today, will face absolute destitution tomorrow night when Siegel's enterprises are closed down by the courts.

Terror stricken by the prospect of want, hundreds of the girls today worked at their accustomed places on the verge of hysterics and threats of reprisal against the firm which is accused of heartlessly defrauding them were many. Scores of these girls, most of them from small country towns, are said to be living scantily in furnished rooms with hardly a dollar between them and want.

Nearly every employee, it was said, had suffered by the collapse of Siegel's bank, and even the few dollars he had contributed to the beneficiary funds maintained by the stores are alleged to have been swept away in the general crash which engulfed the firm.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Gamm and for the beautiful floral offerings.

MRS. FRED LIECK and Family.

BROTHERLY LOVE FREES YOUNG BOY

Oscar Green Said to Have Stolen Brother's Savings Is Released After Plea by the Latter

Brotherly love triumphed at central police station today.

Oscar Green, aged 17 years, Hokah, Minn., charged with stealing \$22.50 from his elder brother Henry, is free.

The elder brother is soon to be married and to prepare for the venture was saving his earnings. The money was to go towards the cozy little cottage in which he planned to install his bride.

Oscar, a reckless but not vicious youth, found \$22.50 of the savings, said the elder Green, and took it, leaving Hokah yesterday morning for La Crosse to have a "good time."

This morning the brother, intent upon punishing Oscar, came to La Crosse. His desire for vengeance gave way to one of sympathy and instead of chief witness for the prosecution he turned chief pleader for the defense.

"Give him another chance," he pleaded of Captain Larry Dugan. "He's only a boy and will make good." "I'll take care of him."

"I'm sorry, Henry, I didn't think what I was doing. I will make good," almost sobbed Oscar as he left the station with his brother.

WANTS CITY TO BUY INCINERATOR

The question of erecting an incinerator in La Crosse will probably be brought up at tonight's meeting of the city council. C. H. Hunter, representing a Chicago incinerator firm, who is consulting city officials today, will lay the proposition of furnishing La Crosse with a unit incinerator before the board of public works and city council.

A one unit incinerator which will cost the city \$3,500 is capable of burning six tons of garbage per day at a cost of 200 pounds of soft coal per ton. According to Dr. Furstman, city health commissioner, the total garbage of La Crosse amounts to about fifteen tons per day.

SETTLE FOR \$3,100 IN MADDEN CASE

A settlement in the Madden divorce case was affected today where by Mrs. John Madden of Vernon county gets \$3,100 with her decree of divorce from John Madden. Mrs. Mary Madden, mother of John Madden, recently brought an action to set aside a deed to 60 acres of Vernon county land which she had deeded to her son, alleging breach of contract. The real reason for her action, however, is believed to have been to prevent the division of the land upon the divorce of her daughter-in-law. As the result of the settlement of \$3,100 upon Madden's former wife the second action has been dropped.

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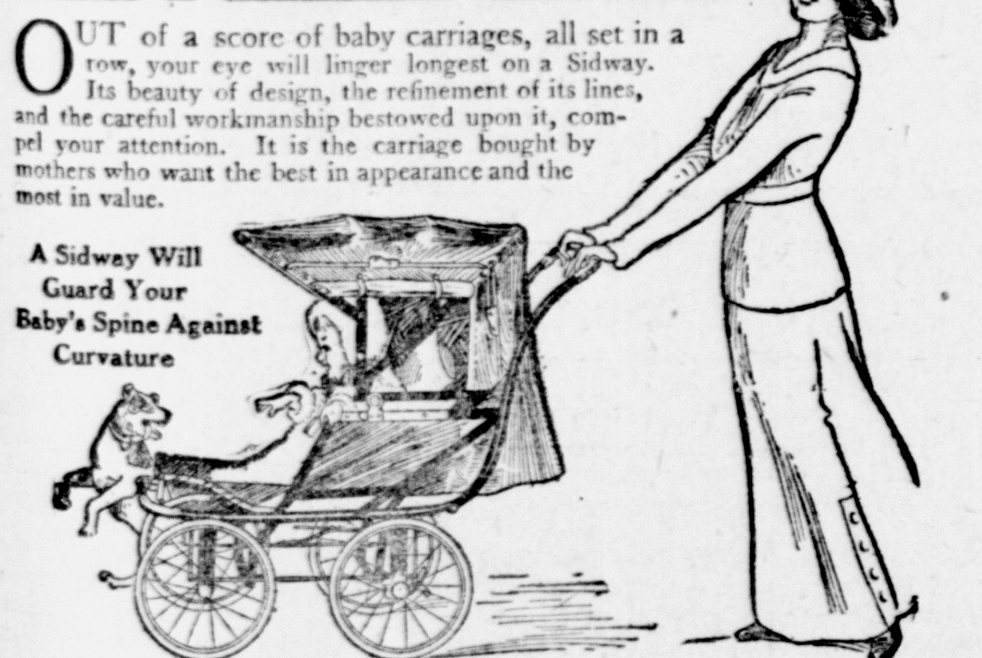


Scene from Faust in Edison Genuine Talking Pictures, La Crosse Theater Tonight.

1,000 CHILDREN IN FIRE
BALTIMORE, March 13. — One thousand children, including twenty cripples, escaped safely in a fire that practically destroyed school number 26 here. Flames broke out at 10 a. m. and the children were marched out safely by the teachers.

The silliness of some people is the biggest part of them.—Boston Transcript.
After all has been said and done, it really is just as disgraceful to get drunk on turkey as booze.

Every Little Fellow Should Have a Carriage Like This



The Sidway is the gentlest carriage made. The tiniest child can be ridden in it over rough roads without suffering the least jar or shock to his little frame or spine.

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This Name on the Frame of Every Genuine Sidways Fold With One Motion

The Sidway long-leaf suspension springs carry the baby as gently as though he were riding on air. Exceptional length and width of bed, high back, real rubber tires, the highest quality Fabrikoid Leather covering, ball-bearings—all these together are found only in Sidway carriages. You are protected by an unconditional guarantee by the manufacturer to replace any part that breaks or wears out within two years. The Fabrikoid Leather made exclusively for, and used exclusively on, the Sidway, is included in this guarantee, and in addition carries the guarantee of the DuPont Fabrikoid Co., sole makers of Fabrikoid.

Sidways cost no more than many other carriages which fail to come up to the Sidway standard. Made in various styles by the Sidway Mercantile Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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FLUFFY RUFFLES IS 1914 WOMAN

Mad Revolt from Straight and Slimy and Sleek to Frills in Spring Fashions

THE FRILLS ERUPT EVERYWHERE

Gowns and Jackets and Even Hats Display the Frill, and Halo Is Latest Fad

BY MARGARET MASON
(Written for the United Press.)
She ruffles her coats and she ruffles her frocks
She ruffles her hats and they ruffle her locks.
She ruffles her sleeves and her bodice so low
While her temper is easily ruffled also.

NEW YORK, March 13.—To be fashionable you must be ruffled up from top to toe. We have been straight lined and slimy and sleek so long that once the break was made there has been a mad revolt from the straight and narrow. The consequence is an amazing eruption on all the spring frocks and hats.

While most of the ruffling on the gowns catches you on the hip following the approved hippy outline of the tunic, puff and pannier, others begin at the knee and take a crooked and bias path to the waist line. Some of the ruffles have even dared to break into that narrow zone about the ankles and on some of the newest taffeta models they ripple three deep about the so long bounded only by the straight and narrow, plain and uncompromising hem.

Not or Taffeta
For the skirt ruffles net or taffeta, from which the entire gown is built, are the approved materials. For the wrist ruffles and those outlining the low bodices the same materials are the thing, although lace is also popular. The neck frills evolved from the taffeta medium are very chic but not as full as those of the thinner fabrics.

The new suit coats are all cut with a flaring circular ruffle around the bottom when the suit is of serge or the heavier twilled silks. When the suit is of the omnipresent taffeta the coats are finished with ruffles as full and flamboyant as the law allows.

Separate silk wraps of flowered or plain silk are very quaint with kimono tops and deep ruffles two or three deep set on from the yoke line to the finish. The loose sleeves of these wraps end in deep ruffles while an upstanding one finishes the neck.

All Have Frills
As for the hats the small turban shapes almost all boast an upstanding frill of either taffeta or net while the brimmed ones have ruffles of lace, net or taffeta gathered around their crowns and fluffily veiling their brows.

When you have donned a suit whose short jacket is finished with two fitted circular ruffles and whose skirt is just one fitted circular flounce after another then topped it off with a tiny turban of hemp with an upstanding frill of black net you certainly present a fashionable but scarcely a calm and unruffled appearance.

Hardly in the hat class but still something that goes to your head is the new tulle halo made up for all fashionable sinners in imitation of saintlier models. It is fashioned of a tulle frill that stands out from the face in most approved halo fashion.

Since we have taken to halos it is no wonder that waistlines are again striving to lead the higher life. For evening gowns and in fact for all drowsy occasions the high waist is



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Aristotle, being asked what gain was got by lying, replied: "The never being believed when one tells the truth."—Diogenes Laertius.

Some men hunt trouble near home and others go on excursions.



A Prediction—

We predict that this season will see the biggest clothes business we have ever done.

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Because we have the snappiest styles ever shown in clothes. Style that is tailored into the garments by the best tailors in America, and that means the world. This means that you, Mr. Man and Mr. Young Man, are sure that your suit is going to look good and hold its shape as long as you wear it.

Our Stock is Complete and every man's need is anticipated so you can come here with the absolute assurance that you will find just the suit you want here. Here's the men who make them—

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Our Own \$2.00 and \$2.50

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again de rigueur although the normal line still clings triumphant about your middle for middle day wear.

Narrow Girdles
After the surfeit of wide girdles and sashes galore it is a promised relief from monotony that many Parisian dressmakers and designers are now favoring narrow inch and a half girdles or rather belts and in many instances no girdle at all but simply a line of joining between the blouse and skirt. Of course the girdles will not submit to annihilation without a struggle and so it is putting forth new lures and fascinations to hold its devotees.

Not the least of these charmers is a girdle composed of two and three shades or contrasting colors. One in a sweet pea shade of pink is adorable. In three shades of green, yellow or American beauty tints these girdles are indeed lovely and it is well to have one about you even if the rest of your wardrobe be girdeless.

It is sad to relate, but waistlines on sport and top coats absolutely refuse to be elevated like the rest of their ilk. They have sunk to the lowest depths. Even the bolts that hang around them have fallen into their low ways and slump loosely and discouragingly in the rear.

Experts Discuss
NEW CURRENCY LAW

CHICAGO, March 13.—A comprehensive conference on "The Probable Workings of the New Currency Act" was the magnet which drew educators and business men of national prominence to Chicago today to attend the open forum meeting of the Western Economic society. Everything that has to do with the new currency law from its probable effect upon the prosperity of wage earners to the control of the international flow of gold and the financial policy of the federal reserve banks was to be discussed.

The following men are to present papers at the meeting: George E. Roberts, director of the mint at Washington; Thomas Conway, Jr., of the University of Pennsylvania; Jacob H. Hollander of the John Hopkins university; Earl D. Moward of Hart Schaffner & Marx, Chicago; J.

Lawrence Laughlin of the University of Chicago; W. A. Scott of the University of Wisconsin; H. Parker Willis, "Journal of Commerce," New York; O. M. W. Sprague of Harvard university; F. M. Taylor of the University of Michigan, and George Woodruff of the First Bank of Joliet, Ill.

comes as a surprise.
Ten years after marriage if a man happens to tell his wife that he loves her, she looks around for a soft spot in which to throw a fit.

The day after Christmas it's a mean pastor who will smell a deacon's voice.

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HALF PRICE SALE OF PENNANTS SATURDAY

An Assortment of Fancy PENNANTS, on sale Saturday at exactly HALF PRICE

Plain Wisconsin Pennants, and La Crosse Pennants, size 16 x 36 inches, sewed letters, formerly selling at 59c, special for Saturday at each **30c**

Picture Pennants, with sewed letters, size 6 x 27, formerly selling at 15c, Saturday at each **7½c**

Wisconsin Pennants, fancy and monograms, sewed letters, size 9 x 30, formerly 59c, special for Saturday at each **30c**

Wisconsin and La Crosse Pennants, fancy and monogram, sewed letters, size 18x42, regular 98c value, special Saturday **50c**

Another assortment of La Crosse Pennants, sewed letters, size 5 x 18, regular 10c value, special for Saturday each **5c**

An assortment of fancy Pennants of various colleges, sewed letters, size 12x36, formerly 59c, special at each **30c**

Still another assortment of various colleges of a smaller sized Pennant, size 4x22, selling formerly at 15c, specially for Saturday at each **7½c**

An assortment of Banners and Pennants with monograms, all sewed letters, were 75c, now each **39c**

Collection of La Crosse and Wisconsin Pennants, of a very large size, some 22x80, others 18x54. Selling formerly at \$1.98, now at each **\$1.00**

BASEMENT SPECIALS

TUMBLERS

7½c for Star or Grape Cut Tumblers bell and straight shape, value 12½c.

CHAMBER

7c for Stone Chamber, large size, value 20c.

JARDINIER

47c for 12 inch Jardinier, mottled and glazed, value 98c.

Groceries for Saturday

12 pounds Granulated Sugar for **49c**

Best Kettle rendered Lard, per pound **12½c**
Limit 4 pounds.

Tea Siftings, per pound **10c**
Limit 2 pounds.

Early June Peas, sweet and tender, per can **7c**
Limit 4 cans.

Large Fat Mackerel, each **5c**

Lenox Soap, 2 cakes for **5c**

Corn Flakes, per package **5c**

Dry Green Peas, per pound **5c**

Fresh Ginger Snaps, per pound **5c**
Limit 2 pounds.

Soda Crackers, per pound **7c**
Limit 2 pounds.

NOTE—No phone orders on these special items and no sugar delivered unless accompanied by small Grocery Order

BASEMENT SPECIALS

JARDINIER and PEDESTAL

29c for Jardinier and Pedestal, all first quality, value 59c.

DINNER SET

\$3.24 for 50 pce. Dinner Set, American Porcelain, spray decoration, val. \$5.00.

TEA POT

10c for Brown Earthen Tea Pot, large size, value 25c.

HOLMEN CLUB GIVES CONCERT

The Holmen Glee club under the direction of Prof. James Kerr of La Crosse will give its first annual concert Friday evening, March 13, in Progressive hall.

The club, which numbers nearly sixty voices, has been working hard for several months under Mr. Kerr's leadership, and tomorrow evening will mark the culmination of their efforts.

Several of the best local artists will assist the club. The following is the program:

Miss Lena Weimar, soprano; Mrs.

Harry Watkins, alto; Mr. C. R. Bearmore, tenor; Mr. J. R. Kerr, bass; Miss Grace Willey and Mrs. J. R. Kerr, accompanists. J. R. Kerr, director.

The Heavens Are Telling. (Creation, Haydn)—Trio, Miss Weimar, Messrs. Bearmore and Kerr.

(a) To My First Love. (Hermann Lohr); (b) The Little Damozel (Ivor Novello)—Mr. Kerr.

Song of the Vikings. (Eaton Fanning); Bobby and His Sled. (J. S. Fearis)—Mr. Bearmore.

Bridal Chorus. (Rose Maiden, Fred Cowen); (a) I Know a Garden. (D'Hardelot); (b) His Lullaby. (Carrie Jacobs-Bond)—Mrs. Watkins.

The Miller's Wooing. (Eaton Fanning); (a) A Little Pink Rose. (Carrie Jacobs-Bond); (b) "Is yo?" (Carrie Jacobs-Bond)—Miss Weimar.

How Lovely are the Messengers. (St. Paul, F. Mendelssohn); I Waited for the Lord. (F. Mendelssohn)—Miss Weimar and Mrs. Watkins.

(a) The King of Love. (H. R. Shelley); (b) Fear Not Ye, O Israel. (Max Spicker)—Miss Weimar, Mrs. Watkins, Messrs. Bearmore and Kerr.

The Hallelujah Chorus. (Messiah, Handel).

DEBATE PANAMA TOLLS QUESTION

FORT COLLINS, Colo., March 13.—The weighty question whether American vessels should be compelled to pay tolls for passage through the

Panama canal will be discussed in three cities tonight when the annual tri-state intercollegiate debate between the agricultural colleges of Colorado, Oklahoma and Kansas will take place.

The Oklahoma team will meet the Colorado Aggies here and the local institution has sent another team to Manhattan, Kansas, to debate with the Kansas. Kansas has also sent a team to Oklahoma to meet the Sooners.

Migraine or Sick Headache

Dr. J. J. Caldwell says that this exceedingly distressing disease does not shorten life, but does not appear to be curable. Sufferers from this affliction are condemned to undergo the periodical attacks every few weeks until they are forty years of age, after which the attacks are less frequent, and finally disappear entirely. Palliative measures during the attack are all that it is possible to suggest, while care in the diet is the best preventive measure. An attack may often be prevented by taking two Anti-kamnia Tablets when the first symptoms appear, and one Anti-kamnia Tablet every two hours during the attack shortens it, eases the pain and brings rest and quiet. Anti-kamnia Tablets may be obtained at all drug stores. Ask for A-K Tablets. They quickly relieve all pain.

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Four Wonderful Offerings, trade bringers that are actual and real money savers. On sale in our Women's Ready-to-Wear Department for One Day, Tomorrow Saturday.



Women's SPRING Suits \$13.85

A great opportunity for you to buy your Easter Suit at prices way below the actual value. Call and see them. We have placed them in a separate section for your convenience and inspection. They are Suits worth from \$3.00 to \$5.00 more than we ask. Remember your choice tomorrow only at each **\$13.85**

\$7.50 Women's Skirts \$5.85

We have gone through our entire Skirt line and have made a selection of \$7.50 and \$7.85 Skirts, all the new spring models, which we will place on sale tomorrow at each **\$5.85**

Petticoats at 79c

A full line of Women's Petticoats, the regular \$1.25 kind, they have a seven inch Flounce with hand Embroidered Heading, all colors and Black, choice each **79c**

Shirt Waists 39c

A line of our regular 59c Shirt Waists, all style necks, Embroidery and Lace trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 bust measure, choice each **39c**

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PRINT EVENSON NOTE

NEW YORK EVENING SUN PUBLISHES LOCAL OPTOMETRISTS ANSWER TO AN EDITORIAL

The New York Evening Sun paid a great compliment to Dr. Evenson by publishing an answer to one of their editorials a few weeks ago, in which they criticised the optometrists of this country for a booklet the American Optical association had published.

This booklet explained to the public what the optometrists claimed for their profession, and the editorial in the Sun criticised the views set forth in the booklet.

Dr. Evenson attempted to set the editor right in his letter to The Sun and so well did he succeed that the editor published his letter.

The optical journals of the country have published both articles from the Sun, and as a result Dr. Evenson is receiving many letters of commendation from all over the country.

Dr. Evenson said: "It sounded like some oculist trying to boost his own business, and defame the optometrists, and while I will admit that we have incompetent men in the optical business it does not prove that all the incompetent men are optometrists."

"Because we advertise does not make us all incompetent, and I will freely admit that I do not use medicine or pretend to practice medicine. There are men skilled in the use of medicine, and they are trained to use it. My profession is not a part of medicine, and is not taught in medical colleges any more than dentistry is taught in the medical course."

"If advertising my business makes it better I will advertise, and I will

SHRIEKS GLEE AS SHE GOES TO JAIL

LONDON, March 13.—Declaring in wild shrieks that she was glad to be a martyr as a protest against the "slow murder" of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, Mary Richardson, destroyer of Velasquez's "Rokeby Venus" in the National gallery, today went hunger striking to prison for six months at hard labor.

The woman apparently glorified in her crime, which the crown seathingly characterized as "senseless, wicked and dastardly," and exulted loudly as she accompanied a court officer to Holloway jail, where Mrs. Pankhurst is now on hunger strike after her seventh arrest under the "cat and mouse" act.

Among the rare joys is to meet a well-behaved child which isn't afraid of its parents.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

THIS is the caution applied to the public announcement of Castoria that has been manufactured under the supervision of Chas. H. Fletcher for over 30 years—the genuine Castoria. We respectfully call the attention of fathers and mothers when purchasing Castoria to see that the wrapper bears his signature in black. When the wrapper is removed the same signature appears on both sides of the bottle in red. Parents who have used Castoria for their little ones in the past years need no warning against counterfeits and imitations, but our present duty is to call the attention of the younger generation to the great danger of introducing into their families spurious medicines.

It is to be regretted that there are people who are now engaged in the nefarious business of putting up and selling all sorts of substitutes, or what should more properly be termed counterfeits, for medicinal preparations not only for adults, but worse yet, for children's medicines. It therefore devolves on the mother to scrutinize closely what she gives her child. Adults can do that for themselves, but the child has to rely on

the mother's watchfulness. Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

NOSE AND HEAD STOPPED UP FROM COLD OR CATARRH, OPEN AT ONCE

My Cleansing, Healing Balm Instantly Clears Nose, Head and Throat—Stops Nasty Catarrhal Discharges. Dull Headache Goes

Try "Ely's Cream Balm." Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache will disappear. By morning the catarrh, cold, in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, frag-

rant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

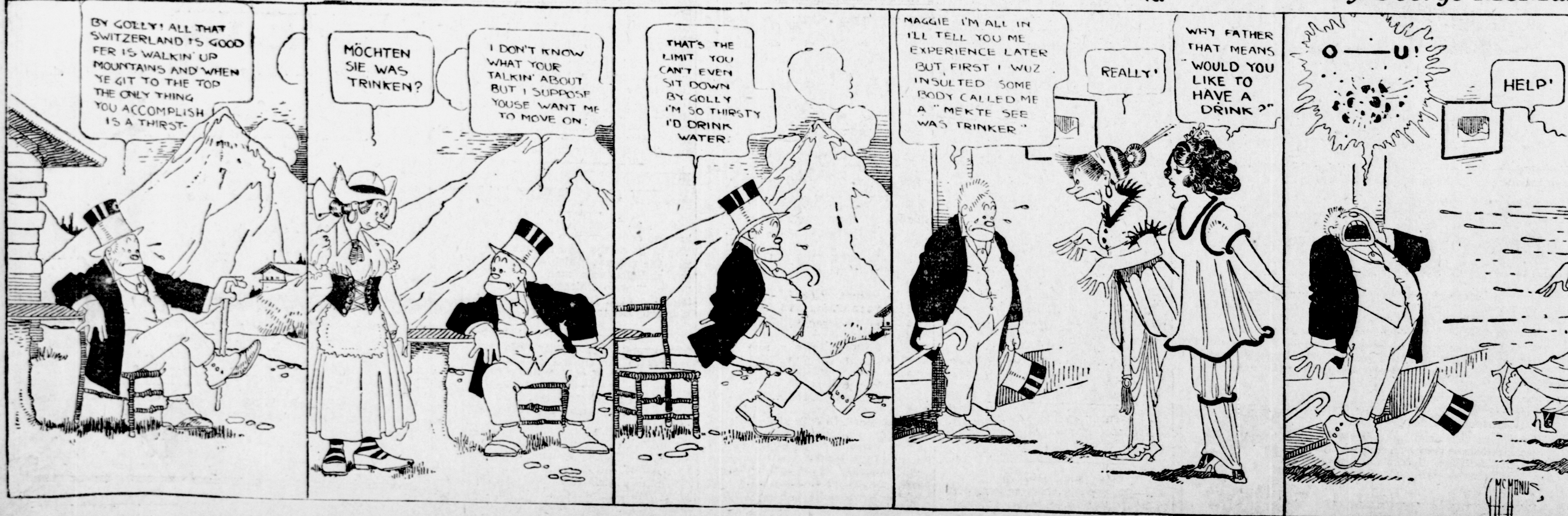
Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

Bringing Up Father

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By George McManus



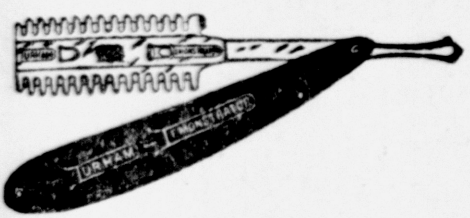


Are you one of those fellows

who think that the expensive tailor who charges you from \$30 to \$45 for a suit of clothes is the only fellow who can fit you?

If you are, we want to see you. We will show you something about clothes fitting you never knew, and save you \$10 to \$15 in the bargain. We'll show you the Best Suits ever made for \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$18.00.

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With every Durham-Duplex Razor at 35c we will give a 25c stick of Durham-Duplex Shaving Soap FREE.

Fred Dittman Hardware Co.
129 South Fourth Street

WEST SALEM, WIS.

Miss Florence Best gave a basket social at her school house in the Dudley district, a few miles south of town, on Saturday evening. About fourteen young people from here attended. A very interesting program had been prepared by the scholars which, with the selling of baskets, was greatly enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Gullickson had as their guests at a 1 o'clock dinner on Sunday Messrs. and Mesdames Elmer Waite and daughter Dorothy, Martin McEldowney, Hazel Seiden and Harrison Storandt.

Mrs. Morris Roberts spent Monday at Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuller of Mindoro, Wis., are spending a few days here, guests of friends.

Mr. Thorwald Gullickson of Minneapolis is spending a few days here with relatives.

Miss Elita Copper returned from Sparta, Wis., on Sunday evening, where she spent a few days with friends and relatives.

A company of ladies, friends of Mrs. E. Stilson, gave her a farewell surprise party at her home on Mill

street on Saturday evening. Mrs. Stilson will soon leave with her son Charles and family for Washington, where she expects to make her future home. A fine supper was served and all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Mr. Mosher of La Crosse spent Sunday afternoon here, a guest at the home of Mrs. Charles Casterline.

Mrs. Dan Roby left for Chicago the last of the week.

Mrs. Aylsworth left for her home in Grand Forks, N. D., after spending a few months here with her mother, Mrs. Roby.

Mrs. S. L. McKee spent Tuesday in La Crosse shopping.

The Ladies' Study club will meet on Monday, March 16, at 2:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Oltman. Subject, "The people who spread the civilization of the east" (Hittites and Creteans). Leader, Mrs. S. W. Brown. For roll call quotations and biographical sketch of Robert Burns.

Not Always Happy Situation. Being our own master means that we are at liberty to be the slave of our own foibles, caprices and passions.—Schiller.



Special Sale of Delicious "Sunkist" Seedless Oranges

Not a seed in "Sunkist." Juicy, rich, healthful

oranges—the finest selected tree-ripened fruit grown in the world.

"SUNKIST" oranges are the cleanest of all fruits. Never touched by bare hands—all "Sunkist" pickers and packers wear clean cotton gloves while at work.

Buy a box of "SUNKIST" oranges—much cheaper by the box or half-box than by the dozen.

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"Sunkist" Oranges and Lemons Bring Handsome Rogers Silverware

Send the trademarks cut from "Sunkist" orange and lemon wrappers to us. We offer as premiums, elegant Rogers guaranteed A-1 Standard silverware. 27 different, magnificent premiums in exclusive "Sunkist" design.

This handsome orange spoon sent to you for 12 "Sunkist" trademarks and 6 two-cent stamps. Trademarks from "Red Ball" orange and lemon wrappers count same as "Sunkist."

Buy "Sunkist" Oranges and Lemons at Your Dealer's

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COMB SAGE TEA INTO GRAY HAIR

Darkens Beautifully and Restores Its Thickness and Lustre at Once

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant; remove every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use tonic, costing about 50 cents a large bottle, at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," thus avoiding a lot of muss.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared. After another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant and you appear years younger.

For sale and recommended by O. T. Erhart.

BANGOR, WIS.

Mrs. E. R. Peck is confined to her home by illness.

Miss Marjory Stintzi who visited with friends in the village over Sunday, returned to her home at Madison on Wednesday.

Miss Gertrude Sweet, who spent several weeks at the home of V. Stevens and family departed Friday for her home at Greenwood.

V. H. Vaughan of Milwaukee spent the first of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Vaughan.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. A. Mengel Wednesday afternoon.

The R. W. Roberts house, occupied by Dr. D. A. Taylor and family, which was partially destroyed by fire a week ago, is being rapidly repaired. Carpenters have the roof all reshingled and the plumbers are fixing up the bath room. The house is to be papered and painted and will look like new when completed.

Mrs. Jacob Wettstein was on the sick list several days this week.

The funeral of Mrs. Richardson was held Monday afternoon at the Presbyterian church, Rev. Paddock officiating. Interment in Fairview cemetery.

John Rummell was suddenly taken with an epileptic fit in Baebler's restaurant on Tuesday evening. Dr. Evans was summoned and worked over him for several minutes before he showed any signs of consciousness. His parents were summoned and he was taken home. During the night he went into another fit. He is slightly better today.

Miss Marjory Stintzi and Mrs. Crystal Spillane were La Crosse visitors Monday.

A. J. Bernie came up from Tomah and spent Sunday here with friends.

Mrs. George Olson of Camp Douglas, is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kuranz.

Mm. Walter while assisting Oscar Larson slaughter cattle, broke his shoulder blade. Dr. Evans was called to set the injured member.

Miss Emma Richter has been confined to her home for several days with illness.

Miss Garnet Backus and Louis Siedenbergh went to La Crosse Wednesday evening and took in the play "Within the Law," at the La Crosse Theater.

Clear, but Confusing. She—Oh, don't go there on Saturday. It's so frightfully crowded. Nobody goes there then.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

CALEDONIA ASKS HELP IN FIGHT

Want Aid of La Crosse in Keeping Improved Train Service They May Lose

ROAD WANTS TRAIN ABANDONED

Hearing April Will Decide Whether Community Will Enjoy Service Longer

(By G. A. Hundemark)
CALEDONIA, Minn., March 13.—(Special) — Influence of the La Crosse board of trade and of all the business and professional men of La Crosse is asked by this city, in our fight to retain the improved service we have enjoyed since September, 1912, and which the road is attempting to have abandoned.

Up to the 23rd of September, 1912, our railroad accommodations were very bad as to freight and passenger service and the people along the line became very much disgusted and sought means by which the existing evil might be remedied, so our Commercial club, with the co-operation of other civic bodies along the line. The public in general through Mr. O. K. Dahl, the progressive president of our Commercial club, got busy and presented our case to the railroad and warehouse commission and through his untiring efforts succeeded in having that commission call a hearing here at Caledonia, which was attended by a very large gathering of citizens from along the branch. The outcome of that meeting was that the commission ordered the railroad to put on an extra passenger train on a ninety day trial, which they did and we have had splendid service ever since. Apparently it seemed to be a paying proposition as the railroad company continued to run the train far beyond the ninety day trial and we all had become accustomed to this happy state of affairs, when lo and behold like a thunder clap out of a bright sky our president, Mr. Dahl, received a letter from the railroad and warehouse commission March 5th that the railroad had requested to discontinue the train on the pretext that it was unnecessary, meaning of course that the public would be obliged to use their road regardless of inconvenience. You can imagine our consternation at the prospect of going back to the old unsatisfactory state of affairs. Well, our Commercial club got busy again and arranged a hearing before the railroad and warehouse commission to be held here at Caledonia April 7th, where we will have an opportunity to present our protest and we want your La Crosse board of trade, business men and lawyers to help us in this fight, for I feel that your business men of La Crosse are financially more benefited by this extra train than we are, as the people along this line go to La Crosse much often than they would if it wasn't for the convenient extra passenger service. Besides our salesmen can make three or four towns a day more than they formerly did with the old system and your lawyers can practice in our courts with much more convenience in getting back and forth.

Cleaning Woodwork. It is safe to use a few drops of ammonia in the water with which woodwork is cleaned—but only a few drops to a pailful of water. The ammonia removes grease and grime. But it whitens varnished wood and removes paint if it is used in too strong solution; and it must always be used sparingly and quickly dried.

Overdoing Housework. "Housekeepers everywhere recognize that life is too valuable to spend every hour of the day in the mere keeping of the house. No human being can be continuously efficient and work more than eight hours in twenty-four. There are better ways, more scientific methods, more efficient utensils."—Charles Barnard.

How to Keep Well in Winter. Do not let your blood get thin this winter. For people who have a tendency towards anaemia, or bloodlessness, winter is a trying season. Lack of exercise and fresh air, the more restricted diet, many things combine to lower the tone of the body and deplete the blood.

As soon as you notice the tired feeling, lack of appetite and shortness of breath that are warning symptoms of thin blood take a short treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Do not wait until the color has entirely left your cheeks, until your lips are white, your eyes dull and your ears like mother of pearl. It is so much easier to correct thinning of the blood in the earlier stages than later.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills build up the blood and strengthen the nerves. In this way the general health is improved, the appetite increases, the digestion is strengthened and new ambition and energy developed. Work becomes easier because it does not cause exhaustion.

Keep your system at its highest efficiency with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, the great blood builder and nerve tonic. Your own druggist can supply you. A booklet "Building Up the Blood" will be mailed free on request by Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. It is well worth studying by all who do not enjoy complete health.

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45 inch Dwight Anchor Bleached Pillow Casing, 25c value, only per yard **19c**

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36 inch Sateens for summer comforters, 12 1/2c value, only per yard **10c**

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Sack Aprons, made of light and dark percales, 69c values, only each **50c**

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Big assortment of Pearl Buttons, 5 sizes, per dozen. **2 1/2c**

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India Linen, Striped and Checked Dimities, 15c values, Saturday per yard **10c**
36 inch Light and Dark Percales, Saturday per yard **10c**
Striped and Figured Voiles, 27 inch regular 20c values, per yard **12 1/2c**
Dolly Varden Crepes in colors, 27 inch wide, 20c values, Saturday at yard **12 1/2c**
Striped Tissues, India Linen, Checked Lawns, 18c and 20c values, yard **12 1/2c**

Remnants

Big bargains in Remnants of Wash Goods, White Goods, Toweling, Turkey Red Damask, etc.

WEST CELEBRATES FRESH SALMON DAY

PORTLAND, Ore., March 13.—"Salmon Day," was featured in the railway dining cars, in clubs and hotels all over the northwest today, following a concerted movement on the part of the fishermen and canners to popularize the salmon throughout the country. The movement, which was given stimulus

here through the Northern Pacific railroad, followed by the Great Northern, the Spokane, Portland and Seattle, and Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, has as its object the stimulation of salmon eating among people who look upon this fish as merely something to can.

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Our Aim is to please every person entering this store. If we have not accomplished this mission, it is indeed one of our regrets, and we will gladly rectify any error if given the opportunity to do so.

We Thank our many friends and customers for their esteemed patronage and hope to have the pleasure of serving them again this season and many more to come.

H. Burrows, Mgr.



FLIES TO DEFEND CHARITY WORKERS

Mother of Six Boys Who Is Beneficiary of the Association Praises Miss Salisbury

SAYS METHOD IS BEST POSSIBLE

Declares that No Small Part of the Work Accomplished Is Through Advice, Encouragement

To the Editor of the La Crosse Tribune:

Dear Sir—I read the article in the La Crosse Tribune a few nights ago in regard to the Associated Charities and their work here.

I have no intention of putting myself forward in something you may think none of my affair, but I do wish to say a few words in defense of the La Crosse association and those who carry on its work.

I did not like the insinuations contained in that paragraph about wanting a statement of all money received for charitable purposes and what it was used for. Although you surely could not have intended it that way, it would convey the idea to some that an honest accounting of those funds had not been given by the general secretary.

I am writing this to you not from the standpoint of a mere reader or as one might who was in any way connected with the association, but being myself dependent upon the associated charities, county of La Crosse and the kindness of different people of the city, I can speak from the knowledge gained during an acquaintance with Miss Salisbury and her methods of work.

The Associated Charities was organized here shortly after I found myself facing the world with six small boys to support. So you see I feel very much as one does when they hear a dear friend slandered in any way, for a friend in need and in deed has this association been to me. When it is taken into consideration that there are many others the society helps to provide for besides myself, I think the money spent in doing this would certainly exceed the amount paid to those hired to carry on the work. Of course there are other expenses incurred in maintaining the La Crosse office, but surely the ends justify the means.

Not Given Grudgingly
No help is given grudgingly, nor is it handed out promiscuously as some think it should be.

Do you know that each place or case has to be investigated? This takes both time and tact. Many there are who apply for help and take advantage of that help by asking more right along whether really needed or not.

The remark was made to me not long ago by a person who was himself asking help of the association: "Oh, you want to do as I do, reach out one hand for what they give you and reach out the other for more; just take all you can get from those people."

Acts as Agent
Now the people of the city who have the means and the good will to give have no way of knowing just who needs help and will appreciate it. This the Associated Charities can find out for them.

Then, too, they are watchful and those whom they know are worthy of help do not have to keep applying from time to time, but some definite arrangement is made for providing for them.

Of course we could not live on what the Associated Charities alone provides without the help of the county, neither could we live on the help of the county alone; though we managed to keep together on the help of the county and neighbors and relatives until it became generally known that we were in need. We managed to keep together as long as I could earn a little too, but there was the terrible thought and fear of the children being taken away. I could not tend to my home and go out to work also. I felt the name of

Story auction at Coon Valley Friday.

Oscar Martin was a Coon Valley visitor Saturday.

Philip Bouffleur held a sale of personal property on his farm near here Friday.

L. N. Finstad and family of La Crosse were the guests of the Matt Larson family Sunday.

P. Bouffleur is spending several days this week in La Crosse visiting relatives.

Miss P. Peterson and children of Westby spent Saturday here visiting friends and relatives.

Elmer Oehler, who attends La Crosse school, spent Sunday at home. G. A. Kaeppler and M. E. Tuteur of La Crosse were local business callers Monday.

Walter Grosskopf spent Sunday at La Crosse visiting relatives.

Queer English Duty.

Americans will be interested to know that from 1660 it has been customary to take a duty as one of the hereditary customs of the crown. In 1660 there was a duty of eight pence a gallon on all the tea liquor sold in all coffee houses—a great inconvenience to tea drinkers, because it was surveyed only twice a day by the excise officers, and so could only be brewed twice a day.—London Mail.

Undivided Attention Demanded.

Not giving your whole undivided attention to the task in which you have invested your life and money, means that you are wasting your own precious time and that of others. Whatever you do, do it with your whole heart and mind or get out and try something else. It takes pretty nearly all of a man's time to perfect an undertaking provided it be a big and worthy one to begin with.

Truth of the Matter.

'Dey ain't no lion in de way at all; it's des some ole sin you tried ter hide dat's waitin' fer you whar de road turns.—Atlanta Constitution.



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Its equipment is marked standard by 52 automobile manufacturers in the U. S. alone. The preferred 7% stock of the Hans Motor Equipment Company represents in the words of one of the leading merchants "a safe, sound, clean investment on the ground floor."

This stock is sold by the company without paying any commission to brokers or agents. Therefore, you realize if you pay in \$100 a full investment on \$100 and not \$75 to \$90, as is the case with most companies who have to pay a liberal commission for someone to sell their stock for them.

The record of what the Hans Motor Equipment Company has done in the past 4 years, is the best evidence of what it will do in the future. It is putting "made in La Crosse" on the map of the world. One large German house in Berlin came to our exhibit at the New York show three hours after landing at the dock in New York, so eager was he to get in touch with "Hans Equipment."

We have only a few shares left which will only last a short time, at \$20 per share. We want every interested person to come here to our factory and let us show you through. We invite an investigation of what we are doing. If you cannot call personally at our factory office, on Logan avenue and Caledonia street, please fill in the attached coupon with your name and address and we will see that you get full information about this company and the rapidly growing business.

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WOMEN MISSION WORKERS KILLED

LONDON, March 13.—Two women missionaries are believed to have been killed by the Chinese bandits raiding Lao Ho Kow, China, according to a special dispatch to the Central News today. Misses E. Black and J. Black, attached to a mission in the looted town were reported to be missing.

Husbands Will Agree.

When we consider woman's extravagant desires we are inclined to think that Eve was made from a wishbone instead of a rib.

Far Reaching.

Spite is a little word, but it represents as strange a jumble of feelings and compounds of discord as any polysyllable in the language.—Dickens.

WITHDRAW REQUEST FOR LARGER RATES

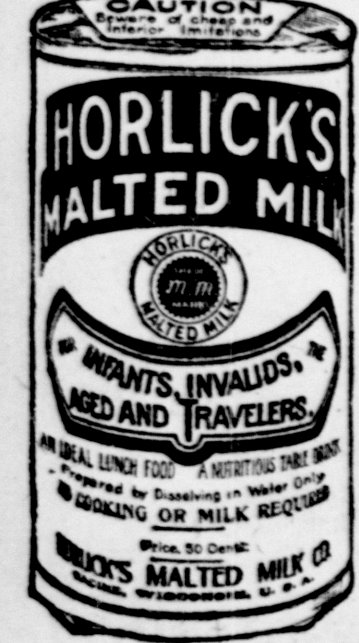
MADISON, Wis., March 13.—(Special.)—At a hearing before the Wisconsin railroad commission yesterday afternoon, the Sheboygan Railway and Electric company withdrew its application for higher street lighting rates in the city of Sheboygan. When the application was made some time ago, the city applied for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate a municipal street lighting plant. At the hearing yesterday afternoon Attorney Edward R. Bowler for the company said that the company not only would withdraw the application for increased rates, but was ready and willing to provide any system of street lighting that the city desired.

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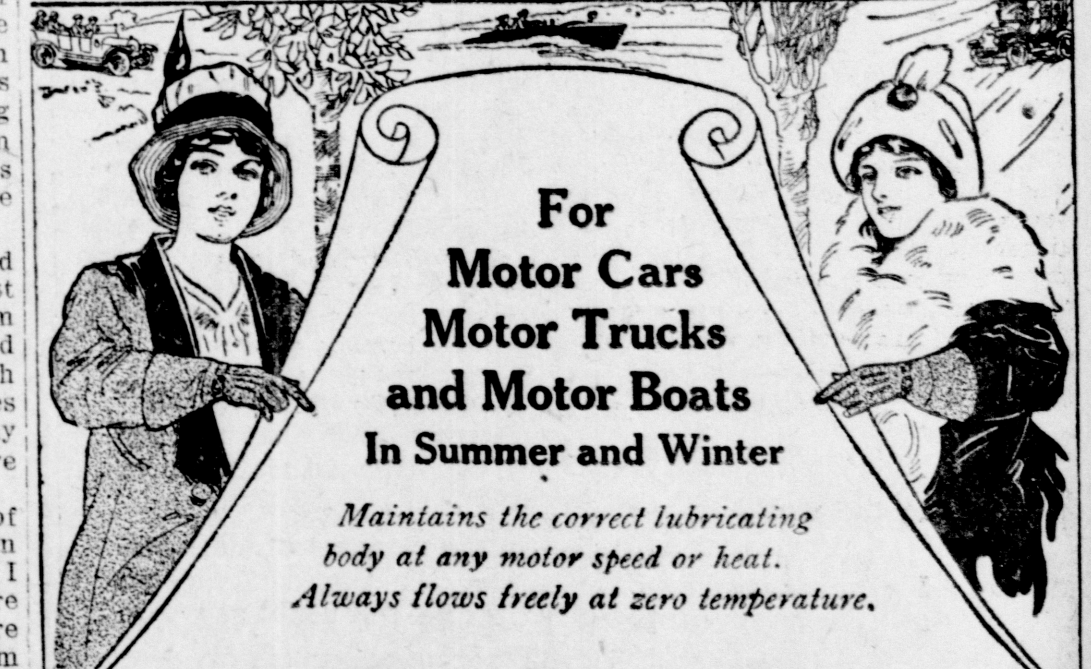
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BOOTJACKS FOR WALDORF

NEW YORK, March 13.—Touched by the plight of distressed westerners who were wont to be lifted out of their boots here by groaning, the management of the Waldorf-Astoria today installed two dozen bootjacks as adjuncts to its comforts. This was the work of the hotel's press agent who got busy when a westerner complained the other day. It is

officially stated, however, that no sand boxes will be installed along Peacock alley for the benefit of those who use plug tobacco.

Irritating.

One of the little irritations of a housewife's life is to borrow the maid of a near neighbor and then have one of the breezy guests at the dinner party loudly recognize her.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

TAKE SALTS IF YOUR BACK HURTS SAYS DRUGS EXCITE THE KIDNEYS

Salts harmless to flush Kidneys and neutralize uric acid, thus ending Bladder trouble.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't

drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which every one should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache. Agent, Chas. A. Beyschlag, Druggist, 508 Main St.

LAW NO CHECK ON MARRIAGES

Eugenic Measure Has Had No Effect on Normal Number of Weddings

MADISON, Wis., March 13.—The eugenics law passed at the last session of the legislature has had practically no effect on the normal number of marriages in the state, is the contention of Dr. C. A. Harper, state health officer. In December, 1912, there were 1,521 marriages as compared with 2,026 in December, last year.

"In other words there was an increase of 505 marriages in December last year over the same month the year before," said Dr. Harper. "Many people doubtless desired to marry before the law became effective in January and there has been a small falling off in the marriages of January this year as compared with a year before. But the difference for the two months of January compared is only 209, while the increase in marriages last December was 505."

Dr. Harper said that the statistics showed that there were 1,411 marriages in January, 1913, as compared with 1,262 marriages in January this year. The eugenics law has been held unconstitutional in one of the Milwaukee courts, but Attorney General Walter C. Owen said today that the appeal has already been made and that the case would be argued in the supreme court probably in May. The constitutionality of the law will be presented to the court before the present calendar of cases is completed.

SPARTA, WIS.

A conference of fruit growers was held today in the W. C. T. U. hall. The session began at 9:30, and the following program was carried out this morning.

9:30 a. m. Problems Confronting the Fruit Growers of Sparta. The Impressions of an Outsider—F. Cranehead, Madison.

The Use of Water in Fruit Culture—N. Rasmussen, Oshkosh.

Discussion. 1:00 p. m. Some Fundamentals in the Treatment of Sparta Soils—A. R. Whitson, Madison.

Common Fruit Diseases and Their Treatment—L. R. Jones, Madison. Fruit Insect Pests Peculiar to the Sparta Region—J. G. Sanders, Madison.

Approved Cultural Practices—J. G. Moore, Madison.

Home Ground Improvements—J. G. Moore.

These gentlemen are representatives of the State Horticultural Society and the University of Wisconsin.

High School Contest

The annual high school extemporaneous speaking contest for the Herald trophy took place in the high school Thursday. Ten contestants were entered and each speaker was allowed five minutes. The speaker had only the time during which the previous speaker was on the floor to prepare in. The topics were on current events and each speaker was allowed his choice of three topics. The judges of the contest were Judge Richards, Rev. H. R. Hogan and Mrs. Paul Schaller. They awarded first place to Malcolm McCoy, whose topic was "Philippine Independence," and second place was shared by Fred E. Steele and Glen Roberts, who spoke respectively on "Woodrow Wilson" and "Review of the Mexican Situation."

H. W. Ullsberger of Madison was in Sparta yesterday in attendance at the conference of the Fruit Growers. R. D. Barney of Kilbourn is in town visiting his brother, A. W., who returned from California Tuesday.

The Unique theater has been sold to G. F. Harrington of Preston. Students of the high school were entertained in the high school last evening by a number of stereopticon views pertaining to the study of history.

Sorenus Paulson of Westby who has been taking the short course in agriculture at the state university this winter, is spending a few days in Sparta on his way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer of Bangor, were Sparta callers yesterday.

Mrs. A. J. Hankin of Minneapolis, is visiting at the home of Mayor McMillan.

Major John Turner will come to Sparta Monday to inspect Co. L. A special drill has been called by Captain Merrill to be held in the Armory tonight.

Mrs. John Davis entertained a party of friends at her home on Court street, last evening.

What might have proven a serious fire broke out in the residence of Mrs. Leadworth on East Franklin street, yesterday. Luckily, the blaze, which started in the basement, was discovered before it had made much headway, and extinguished.

A. R. Baldwin of La Crosse was a Sparta caller yesterday.

Tom Pierce was up from Westby yesterday.

The high school basket ball team went to Caledonia last night to play a return game with that town. The boys were beaten by Baraboo in the elimination contest held at Reedsburg Wednesday night.

The Three Periods.

Jason—There are three periods in a man's life when he does not understand a woman.

Grayson—And they are?

Jason—Before he knows her, when he knows her and afterward.



STOPS DIVORCE; WILL GO ABROAD

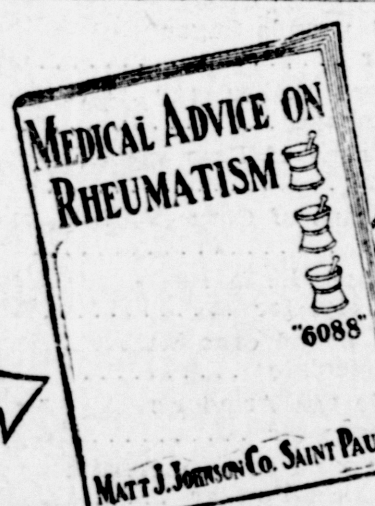


Mrs. John D. Spreckels, Jr.

Mrs. John D. Spreckels, Jr., wife of the San Francisco millionaire, has discontinued her suit for divorce and is now on her way to Europe. She brought her suit, which was contested by her husband, on December 6, alleging extreme cruelty.

Looking for it. Some men are eagerly seeking trouble that will drive them to drink.

There are some sneaking thoughts in every one.



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TOMAH, WIS.

The cement works owned by the C. M. & St. P. railroad company, have again resumed their work after being shut down for about four months on account of not having enough work to do. They gave employment to about twenty-five men who have been out of work all winter on account of dull times. These works employ about forty men with a full crew, and supplies the extension division of the St. Paul railroad with most all the cement articles that they use.

An auto club was formed last night at the Firemen's hall. M. Syverson was elected president; E. Bartels, vice president, and H. B. Vaudell, secretary and treasurer. The president of this club is to appoint a grievance committee, also a committee of three to assist the road master of each road leading from Tomah about repairing the roads in time of need.

The high school basketball team left this afternoon for Portage to play an elimination game with Columbus high school. A large number of rooters accompanied the team, also a German band which expects to cheer the local boys on to victory.

Local and Personal

Chauncey Stewart who has been confined to his home with pneumonia, is about to be around.

Raymond Sickles, a senior in the high school, was elected Wednesday captain of the 1914 baseball team by a unanimous decision.

Emory Higgins and Hollie Carter have withdrawn from the high school and are now working in the cement works.

The high school basketball team will play the strong Racine high on Friday night at the Armory. Racine has not been defeated this season and will try hard to upset Tomah's championship aspirations.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hansen went to La Crosse last night to take in the show at the La Crosse Theater. Joseph Ackerman of Valley Junction was a caller here Thursday.

Dr. Burns from Camp Douglas, made a business trip here Wednesday.

Speed of Birds.

According to C. A. Mitchell, the speed of birds is often greatly overrated. The swift, for instance, has been credited with a speed of 150 miles an hour, and the popular imagination compares the flight of a sparrow hawk with that of a cannon ball. Independent of aid from the wind, Mr. Mitchell thinks forty miles an hour is about the full speed of a good pigeon flying a long distance. The homing pigeon can be relied on under fairly easy conditions to make sixty miles an hour, or considerably more. On a short course a sparrow hawk can outfly a homer, but the sparrow hawk frequently fails to catch smaller birds that form its prey.—London Express.

Not an Ardent Lover.

Dr. Brandes, the Danish man of letters, tells a curious story of himself. At the very moment he had appointed to keep a tryst with his sweetheart he was deep in Hegel. "With a passionate desire to reach a comprehension of the truth I grappled with the 'system,' began with the encyclopedia, read the three volumes of 'Aesthetics,' the 'Phenomenology of the Mind,' then the 'Philosophy of Law' again and finally the 'Logic,' the 'Natural Philosophy' and the 'Philosophy of the Mind' in a veritable intoxication of comprehension and delight." The lamentable sequel was that he forgot all about the young girl to whom he had to say good-by—time, place and promise.

Sillicus—The trouble with women is that they exaggerate everything so. Cynicus—Everything? Did you ever hear a woman exaggerate her age?

COLLISION KILLS FORGETFUL MAN

ANACONDA, Mont., March 13.—In a collision between electric cars Wednesday night Phillip Callan was killed and Thomas Carlson was seriously injured. Both were motormen. Callan forgot to stop at a siding, and the cars struck on a curve.

Even when they play poker some fellows expect their friends to lend a hand.

SHOT AT DINNER WITH FIANCEE

GREAT FALLS, Mont., March 13.—Joseph Galbraith, postmaster of Wayne, near here, was accidentally shot when his revolver dropped from his pocket as he sat down to dine with the girl whom he was to marry on Friday. He died yesterday. The young woman, Miss Marie Froviller, will accompany the body to Indiana for burial.

PEEVISH, CONSTIPATED CHILDREN LOVE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS"

Harmless "fruitlaxative" cleanses stomach, liver and bowels.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad, has stomach ache, sore throat, diarrhea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in just a few hours all the foul

constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless fruit laxative; they love its delicious taste and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages, and for grown ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

EVERY PIANO YOU BUY AT LEITHOLD'S IS DEPENDABLE

We do not pretend that a piano you pay \$200 for will be as handsomely finished and as fine a tone quality as one you pay \$500 for. There's a reason for the higher price—many reasons. Yet our inexpensive pianos are excellent instruments and we assure you that for every dollar you spend with us you'll receive 100 cents in value. We are here in La Crosse, ready to make good on every guarantee we make.

There's not an instrument in our store that is not pleasing in tone, easy in touch, and beautiful to look upon.

Visitors to the store will be shown names of 1,000 or more residents of La Crosse and immediate vicinity who have purchased pianos and player-pianos at Leithold's. Among them are Bankers, Merchants, Attorneys, Doctors, etc. It is a list in which we take considerable pride.

DON'T BUY A PIANO WITHOUT FIRST SEEING OUR LINES AND LEARNING OUR PRICES. YOUR MONEY WILL GO FURTHER HERE THAN ELSEWHERE.

Fred Leithold Piano Co.
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BOTH PHONES

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The Home of Good Things to Eat.

We will have a large assortment of Fresh Vegetables for Saturday's selling.

We have just received a shipment of very fine Strawberries. Ask for them.

We also have a Heinz demonstration. You must come in and taste the Baked Beans that are really baked. We will not ask you to buy. Our main object is to have you taste them, and when you want beans, you will know what kind to buy. Old Country Green Soap is the best soap for use with hard water. Many of our customers recommend it highly. Two sizes, 10c and 50c.

NEW SPRING STYLES ARE NOW READY IN HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES



It's always an event which deserves notice when a new season in Men's Clothes starts. This season's Men's and Young Men's Clothes are made on natural lines; not much if any padding; narrow shoulders, and coats with soft fronts.

Checks, Plaids, Pencil Stripes, Chalk lines, Blues, Browns, Grays—You'll find what you want among them. You can save from \$3 to \$5 by buying your new Spring Suit here.

New Spring Styles in HATS STETSON, MALLORY, TIGER and CHAMPION

Latest in SPRING CAPS	New Spring Shirts, Ties, etc., etc.	ROSIERY Men's, ladies', boys', children's	Very attractive SPRING NECKWEAR
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BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING — The new Norfolk, with patch pockets, blues, grays, tan and browns, priced at \$1.75 to \$6.50

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At The DOME Saturday QUO VADIS In 3 Reels

Matinee 2:30, 5c & 10c. Evening 7:00, 10c to all.

HILL TO BE PRESIDENT

SON OF JIM HILL WILL BECOME HEAD OF GREAT NORTHERN ROAD ON SATURDAY

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 13.—L. W. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern railway, will become president of the road at close of business Saturday. A circular making the official announcement of his election has been issued by L. E. Katzenbach, secretary of the company.

In spite of this official announcement, the rumor that there will be another change of presidents in the near future persists among railway officials of St. Paul.

Har Limitations.


"These pianos look too cheap," said the young woman, her brows contracting slightly. "Show me some of the best you've got."

"Yes, ma'am," said the salesman. "May I ask how high you care to go?"

"Me? Oh, I only go to G, but I want one with all the octaves just the same."

—Chicago Tribune.

A woman thinks more of her figure and complexion than a man does of everything he pays taxes on.



IF YOU ARE NERVOUS

or worried or vexed at trifles, your vital forces are slowly but surely deteriorating.

Scott's Emulsion overcomes nervousness better than anything else because its nourishing force enriches the blood and stimulates its flow to all the tissues and bathes the tiny nerve cells in the rich plasma by which they are nourished.

Shun alcoholic substitutes that stimulate and stupefy. Take Scott's Emulsion for your nerves. Its nutritive power is the greatest help that nature affords.

SCOTT & BOWNE, BANGOR, ME.

Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

"Lady" Has Bass Voice

NEW YORK, March 13.—"G'wan, chase yourself," growled a "perfect lady" in blue silk dress, picture and French heels, when accosted by Patrolman Wreckez. "I just wanted to fool my bride," William Fogel explained in night court.

Failed to Suit—Suit Fails

NEW YORK.—Because he failed to suit her and his suit failed too, Comstock, a fashionable tailor, agreed in court to make over a gown for Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain, suffrage leader.

Regular Men Object

LONDON.—Society women here are mad over male professional dancers, a marchioness having chosen the escort of M. Josefinsky. Society men are protesting vigorously.

Americans Style Extremists

PARIS.—French dressmakers assert that it is the American women, not the Paris women, who demand the present indecent dress and freak fashions.

Can sluck Offending Plume

CHICAGO.—It isn't assault and battery to pull a feather out of a girl's hat if it jabs you in the eye, ruled Judge Turnbaugh, dismissing Eva Julien's complaint against Ernest De St. Aubien.

Prefers Fine to Vaccination

KENOSHA, Wis.—Rather than submit to vaccination after exposure to smallpox, Mrs. Christian Schwan, wealthy Kenosha woman, paid a \$5 fine for breaking quarantine.

Probably Voicing His Glee

BOSTON, Mass.—The barking of a stray mongrel attracted attention to a fire in a sausage factory.

Parallel Parsons

LANCASTER, Pa.—Friends from boyhood, room mates for four years at college, married the same day and spending their honeymoon together, two Lutheran ministers added another link to their parallelism by being presented with twins at the same time.

Old Time Newspapers.

The earliest English newspaper, Nathaniel Butcher's Weekly News, had several predecessors abroad. The first of these in point of time was the Ordinaris Avis, the publication of which began at Strassburg in 1609, fourteen years before the appearance of Nathaniel Butcher's venture. In 1620 Abraham Verhoeven founded the Nieuws Thijdingen at Antwerp, and this continued to appear weekly for 227 years. The oldest existing newspaper is apparently the Swedish Official Gazette, which dates back to 1644.—London Opinion.

Not Flattered.

"Really, Willie, you look more like your father every day."

"Quit your cussin', maw."—Life.

North Side Briefs

Shoe bargains \$1.39. O'Neil's store, Elmer Roth, Chicago, transacted business on the North side yesterday.

Ed Bergseth, Holmen, called on friends and relatives on the North side yesterday.

J. Johnson, 1902 Charles street, has left for a business trip in Dubuque.

"Quo Vadis," three reels, at the Dome Saturday.

The Y. P. S. of the German Lutheran church was entertained last evening by H. Tietz.

Dr. Huecker is ill at his home, 1323 Avon street.

Mrs. A. Metcalf, Baraboo, is visiting relatives on the North side.

Mrs. C. R. Laine, Moline, Ill., is visiting relatives on the North side.

J. Nelson, Minneapolis, is spending a few days on the North side visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Bertha Larson, St. Paul, is visiting relatives on the North side.

Mrs. E. Ulven, Iron River, is spending a few days visiting relatives on the North side.

Mrs. Hans Hanson is confined to her home, 1514 Caledonia street, with illness.

"Capture of Bad Brown," a comedy, at the Dome tonight only.

Miss Frieda Sagen has returned to her home in Minneapolis after spending the past few weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Semington, 1402 George street.

Miss Emma Brinstad is again able to be about after having been confined to her 1636 Berlin street home with illness.

Arthur Golner, 2063 Kane street, is spending a few days in Alma.

O. Welch, Savanna, is spending a few days at the home of Mrs. J. Welch, 1023 Berlin street.

H. L. Partridge is again able to be out after having been confined to his home, 1433 Charles street, with illness.

"Fifth String," a two reel feature, at the Dome tonight only.

Larcus Davis, Des Moines, Iowa, is spending a few days with North side relatives and friends.

Miss Veronica Murphy, Holmen, is spending a few days at her home, 1033 Charles street.

George Morris is confined to one of the local hospitals with illness.

Mrs. F. J. Sheehan, formerly Miss Birdie Sands, has left for Chicago to join her husband, third vice president of the Switchmen's union.

Made Faraday Hot.

When Faraday was allowed a pension for his remarkable additions to scientific knowledge, from which untold millions of pounds sterling have flowed, an ignorant lord was selected to announce the grant, but informed Faraday that he did not think much of this science business and said "Now, really, Faraday, it's all a humbug anyway, isn't it?"

The insulted chemist refused the pension until other better informed officials apologized humbly for the impertinence of "his lordship."

Actors and Long Hair.

A theory concerning the reason why old fashioned members of the theatrical profession used to favor the practice of wearing flowing locks is advanced by Mr. Henry Ainley. In the course of a speech at the Actors' Benevolent fund dinner he said he was informed that in the dark ages if actors committed any grievous offense they were plucked through the lobe of the ear. From that time, he thought, they began to wear their hair long.—London Standard.

Furnished a Text Topic.

Thille Clinger says that Sunday before last she went to church and absentmindedly dropped her vinaigrette in the collection basket, and last Sunday the minister preached on the subject of "Vials of Wrath."—Galveston News.

A SOUR STOMACH GAS, INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" ends all Stomach distress in five minutes—Time it!

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach headache, you can get blessed relief in five minutes.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula, plainly printed on these fifty-cent cases of Pape's Diapepsin, then you will understand why dyspeptic troubles of all kinds must go, and why they relieve sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. "Pape's Diapepsin" is harmless; tastes like candy, though each dose will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but, what will please you most, is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

This city will have many "Pape's Diapepsin" cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be enthusiastic about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever take it for indigestion, gases, heartburn, sourness, dyspepsia, or any stomach misery.

Get some now, this minute, and rid yourself of stomach trouble and indigestion in five minutes.

AWAIT REPORT FROM MR. PAGE

Ambassador Called Upon for Explanation of Monroe Doctrine Speech

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The state department was today awaiting a report from Ambassador Page, explaining just what he said in his speech in London Wednesday night, which has been construed by certain congressmen as a partial repudiation of the Monroe doctrine. Until this has been received there will be no comment on the part of the administration.

It is known that the incident has troubled President Wilson chiefly because it came at a time when the entire foreign policy of the administration was under fire. So far as the president is concerned, he has insisted that he recognized the Monroe doctrine to mean just what it has been held to mean ever since it was first enunciated, and he has been impelled to look on the language attributed to Page as an attempted plesantry.

It was expected that Ambassador Page will notify the state department just what he intended to say and will also explain that there was no attempt on his part to do more than "make his host realize that this country appreciates England's friendly attitude."

It was not alone his declaration on the Monroe doctrine, but also his position on the Panama canal that displeased congressmen who are opposed to President Wilson on the canal tolls repeal bill. They intend to use the argument that the administration is truckling to Great Britain in their endeavor to kill the repeal bill.

If you cater to the public's whims you are not going to be very ethical.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

11 pounds Sugar	50c
for 50c	
Corn Flakes, per package	5c
3 cans of Peas	24c
for 24c	
3 cans of Corn	24c
for 24c	
2 pound can Raspberries for	15c
1/2 pound cake Wilbur's Chocolate	17c
15c can Armour's Beans for	12 1/2 c
1 pound can Rumford Baking Powder	22 1/2 c
2 packages Cottage Breakfast Food	24c
Lenox Soap, per bar	3c
Lenox Soap, per box	\$2.90
15c package Grandma's Washing Powder	13c
2 boxes of Matches for	4c
Mackerel, each 10c; 3 for	25c
Anchovies, per pound	10c
Salt Salmon, per pound	9c
Toilet Paper, 100 sheet roll	6c
Four rolls for	23c
Rice, per pound	6c

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NORTH SIDE

FRANKLINS AGAINST THE MINIMUM WAGE

Stirring Debate at Club Last Night Lost by the High School Orators

CLUB ALSO ELECTS OFFICERS

P. W. Mahoney Is Chosen President and Harry Spence Vice President

A minimum wage of seven dollars a week for women was turned down by the Franklin club at their regular meeting last night in Fielstad's hall. The jury stood two to one in favor of the negative.

Officers were elected for the coming year at last night's meeting. P. W. Mahoney was elected president; Harry Spence, vice president; Leland Mahoney, secretary; J. F. Saltz, treasurer; H. D. Hayden, regent, and H. L. Taylor, sergeant-at-arms.

High School on Affirmative.

The high school team, led by Leland Mahoney and ably assisted by Thomas Skemp and William Walker, took the affirmative of the question which read, "Resolved, that minimum wage of seven dollars a week for women be enacted." In leading off the debate, Mr. Mahoney called the attention of the club to the need of such a law. Two of the chief results of underpaid woman labor, he said, are the establishment of charitable institutions and the deterioration of the race, mentally and physically.

In answering the deduction that the prices of finished products would increase, he said that society must pay the price either in increased prices or in the upkeep of charities.

W. E. Barber, heading the opposition, asked the affirmative what they, the affirmative, would do with those employees that employers of necessity would have to discharge or refuse to employ on account of mental or physical deficiencies. If a minimum wage were forced on employers, they could not afford to pay a woman seven dollars when she was worth only half that, he said.

Cites Local Case.

Harry Robinson followed for the negative. He cited a case in a local factory where a girl, after working for three months, was unable to earn two dollars a week, while the girl next to her was earning eighteen dollars at the same work.

H. G. Hayden closed the debate for the negative by saying that natural inequalities, mentally and physically, cannot be remedied by legislation.

Thomas Skemp, second speaker for the affirmative, maintained that efficiency would be increased by higher wages.

In closing for the affirmative, William Walker made the assertion that legislation along the line of minimum wage would wipe out strikes and discontent.

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN.

A public meeting was held Wednesday evening at the Grand Opera hall in the interest of the public library at which much enthusiasm was expressed at the prospect of enlarging and developing the present library within a short time.

Nicholas Gunderson, city superintendent of schools and a member of the library board, presided over the meeting was Hon. H. S. Dudgeon of Madison, secretary of the state library commission. Mr. Dudgeon stated that in view of the fact that the supply of books in the Prairie du Chien library is very insufficient for the demand, the state library commission will agree to loan the library one book for every dollar the present appropriation is increased, 100 books for \$100, or any number of books to equal any increase in the annual library appropriation. Short addresses were made by Hon. A. H. Long W. R. Graves, Edward McCloskey, Dr. W. T. Pinkerton, E. C. Amann, Henry Otto, L. Cornelius, Mayor F. H. Poehler, Charles Grelle and Miss Alice Green of the high school faculty. Music for the occasion was furnished by the high school girls' club under the direction of Miss Leona Garrow. The library board cleared something over \$420 on its recent publication of an edition of the Prairie du Chien Courier. The board is now negotiating for a room for the library which can be used more freely than the present quarters in the council chamber.

The Congregational Ladies' Industrial society held its twenty-ninth annual business meeting and election of officers Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Stella Savage. The following officers were chosen for the coming year, all re-elected: Miss Stella Savage, president; Mrs. W. T. Pinkerton, vice president; Mrs. W. A. Hall, secretary and treasurer. The society was organized March 7, 1885, with forty members, the first officers being Mrs. E. P. Lockart, president; Mrs. R. L. Cheney, secretary; Mrs. Emily Zieprecht, treasurer; Rev. R. L. Cheney was then pastor of the church. Of the forty charter members only three are now living in Prairie du Chien, Mrs. C. B. Case, Mrs. E. M. Wright and Miss Savage. Among the charter members were Mrs. A. C. Wallin, now of Naches, Wash.; Mrs. Flora

Introductory Showing Of The New Spring SUITS



Whole chapters might be written of the new styles, and it would be fascinating reading, about the new collars, some inlaid with fancy Persian silk, others in braided net. About the long revers, the plaited coats and double tunic and tiered skirts.

As for style "tendencies" some favor the Eton effect, some the Bolero—but all agree that coats are to be shorter than ever. Some of the coats have vest effect of fancy silk, and the revers and cuffs ornamented with small fancy buttons. Set-in kimono sleeves are features in many models. Back of coats are either belted or plaited effects with fancy buttons or tassels for trimming. Sleeves are either three-quarter, seven-eighths or full length. Materials are crepe as a rule, and the colors include sailor's blue, pigeon, Copenhagen, tango, wisteria, emerald, tan, reseda, gold, mahogany and the always staple navy and black. Never have suits been so fetchingly designed or so cleverly tailored as this season, and you'll be delighted with this initial showing.

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Savage, Newton, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. B. F. Fay, Chicago; Mrs. Emma Schumann-Schweizer, La Crosse.

Mrs. Chauncey C. Colton and Little son of Duluth arrived Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Colton's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hall.

Mrs. Laura Wright has returned from a short visit with relatives in Mazomanie.

Game Warden D. M. Cranston of Richland Center was in the city this week and spoke at the high school Wednesday morning on the conservation of bird life in Wisconsin.

Gus Kieser is at the Prairie du Chien sanitarium convalescing from an operation performed Wednesday.

L. G. Tanner, an aged gentleman formerly a resident of Iowa, passed away on Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. N. R. Greer, on Church street, after a long period of failing health. After a short service conducted Wednesday evening by Rev. I. F. Nuzum, the body was taken to Monona, Iowa, for burial. Mr. and Mrs. Tanner celebrated their

golden wedding anniversary October 1, 1911.

C. R. Zeman is in Chicago on a business trip.

The Only Digestible Kind. A young man who is striving for political honors and who therefore feels called upon to do considerable public talking was recently waited upon by a delegation of men residing in one of the poorer regions of his district.

He was greatly pleased when their spokesman requested a speech from him at an early date.

"What kind of a speech?" he asked.

"An after dinner speech," replied a wag in a shabby coat.—Youth's Companion.

There is a tendency in nearly every home to regard father as a currency problem.

"Man," remarked the seer, "wears clothes because he must." But how about the women?

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A Few Doses Give Relief, Helps Lifeless Organs Regain Health, Strength and Activity

It is useless, dangerous, and unnecessary to be tortured with the digging, twisting pains of backache and rheumatism, or suffer with disagreeable kidney and bladder disorders any longer.

The new discovery, Croxone, provides a remedy which every sufferer can now depend upon to promptly and surely relieve all such misery and bring about a speedy cure.

Croxone cures these troubles because it quickly overcomes the very cause of the disease. It soaks right into the stopped up, inactive kidneys, through the membranes and linings; cleans out the little filtering glands; neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous uric acid and makes the

kidneys filter and sift from the blood all the waste and poisonous matter that clog the system and cause such troubles.

It does not matter whether you have but slight symptoms or the most chronic, aggravated case of kidney, bladder trouble, or rheumatism, that it is possible to imagine, for the very principle of Croxone is such that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results.

You will find it different from all other remedies. There is nothing else on earth like it. It starts to work the minute you take it, and relieves you the first time you use it, and all the misery and suffering that go with such troubles end.

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BRIDE DROWNS FALLS IN CISTERN

MADISON, Wis., March 13.—Mrs. John Wild of Verona, a bride of two weeks, while lowering a pail into a cistern by means of a rope, leaned over the edge, slipped and fell in, drowning in five feet of water.



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PERSONALS

A. O. Anderson, West Salem, called in the city yesterday.
J. Mack, Saginaw, Mich., transacted business in the city yesterday.
J. L. Hastings, Victory, Wis., called on friends in the city yesterday.
E. C. Rippe, Caledonia, was a city caller yesterday.

M. L. Halmrast, Coon Valley, spent a few hours in the city yesterday.
Henry and Michael Sweeney, Caledonia, have returned to their homes after a short trip to the city.

F. J. Ruland, Mindoro, Wis., called in the city yesterday on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Metcalf, Caledonia, Minn., spent yesterday in the city.

B. A. Y. Shamrock ball Tuesday.
H. W. Jeske, Dover, Minn., spent a few hours in the city yesterday.

A. Samuels, West Salem, transacted business in the city yesterday.
V. D. Duquaine, Green Bay, called in the city yesterday on business.

Erick Erickson, Caledonia, spent yesterday with friends in the city.
James Connors, Rock Island, Ill., made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Black and baggage calls made.
Gateway City Trfc. Co. Phone 179.
Thomas Wintrey, Minneapolis, transacted business in the city.

Ben Osborn, Eau Claire, called in the city yesterday in the interests of his business.

A. F. Anderson, Cassville, has returned to his home after a brief visit in the city.

The Knights of Pythias gave a hard time party and dance at their hall last night. Refreshments were served at midnight.

W. S. Wadley of Galesville is in the city attending business matters today.

Walter A. Young sold 130 acres of land in the town of Hamilton to W. J. VanZandt today for \$13,600.

MARKET SQUARE

S. Hoogenhouse, Midway, sold a load of hogs in the city yesterday.

E. F. Mueller, Goose Island, came in yesterday with a load of hogs.
John Coady, Midway, delivered a load of hay yesterday.

H. Koethe, Brownsville, came in yesterday with a load of hay.

George Forster, North Ridge, brought in a load of potatoes yesterday which he sold in the city.

A. Schlicht, Chippmunk Ridge, sold a load of potatoes yesterday.

A. Becker, South Ridge, brought in a load of beef yesterday.

Charles Thomas, Stoddard, sold a load of oats in the city yesterday.

Charles Dohke, South Ridge, came in yesterday with a load of hay.

Jim Gillespie, Pine Creek, came in yesterday with a load of hay.

William Tschumper, South Ridge, came in yesterday with a load of corn.

H. Keppel, Bostwick Valley, brought in a load of hay yesterday.

Charles Arnet, Pine Creek, sold a load of hogs yesterday at a local market.

N. Poncelet, Hokah, delivered a load of hogs yesterday.

Nic Meyers, St. Joseph's Ridge, came in yesterday with a load of oats.

J. Asselin, French Island, brought in a load of straw yesterday.

BOTTLERS' APPEAL TO FOOD BOARD

MILWAUKEE, March 13.—An appeal to the food commission will be taken by the Wisconsin State Bottlers' association against the law requiring that bottles shall specify the net contents of their packages, as a result of the bitter sentiment expressed in the convention held in the Hotel Blatz yesterday.

A committee composed of L. G. Heidel, Madison; M. J. Fischbach, Milwaukee; and J. B. Reiter, Milwaukee, was appointed to confer with Food Commissioner Emery, Madison, in an effort to secure amendments to the law.

The Gift of the Sex.

Jones was telling what an excellent cook his wife was. Smith boasted that his wife was a splendid dressmaker and Robinson proudly stated that his wife was an unusually clever artist.

Brown was not to be outdone, so he remarked:

"My wife is a great linguist."

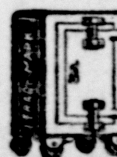
No one seemed impressed. There was a moment's silence; then Robinson spoke up.

"Humph!" he exclaimed. "They all are!"—Youth's Companion.

A smart woman can learn things from a man that he doesn't even know.

Beware Of Kidney Disease

So swift, silent and insidious is the all-prevalent scourge of kidney disease that it snuffs out more lives annually than all other diseases. Normal kidneys are rarely found in persons over forty years of age. The banker, the manufacturer, the preacher, the doctor, the lawyer, the rich and poor alike suffer from this disease and will find relief in Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Remedy. It soothes inflammation and irritation, stimulates the enfeebled organs and heals at the same time. Its special power of healing and strengthening the kidneys is the reason for its great success during the past 37 years. Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Remedy is the medicine that you need to restore the kidneys to a healthy condition. Sold everywhere by druggists in 50c and \$1.00 sizes—every bottle guaranteed. Write for free sample to Warner's Safe Remedies Co., Dept. 422, Rochester, N.Y.



SPECIALS

Sterling Silver Tea
Spoons, 65c

Sterling Silver Hat Pins,
35c and 50c

Ladies 20 year gold filled
Elgin, Waltham or Hamp-
den Watch.
\$11.25

Gents' 17 jeweled 20 year
gold filled case, 12 size,
\$15.75

Gents' 15 jeweled 20 year
gold filled case, 12 size,
\$12.50

Elgin Nickel Boy's Watch
\$5.50

Ingersoll Watches,
\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00

Other Watches,
\$10.00 to \$150.00 and up

**HELLFACH
JEWELER**



May Irwin in "Widow by Proxy" La
Crosse Theater Monday, March 16

GREEN BAY MEN ALL HOLD POSTS

GREEN BAY, Wis., March 13.—All officers of the Green Bay & Western, Kewaunee, Green Bay & Western, Anahap & Western and Iola & Northern Railroad companies were re-elected at the annual meeting here yesterday.

They are as follows: President, J. A. Jordan, Green Bay; vice president, Edgar Palmer, New York; secretary and treasurer, C. W. Cox, of New York; general auditor and cashier, J. C. Thurman, Green Bay; general manager, F. B. Seymore, of Green Bay.

All the directors of the roads were re-elected and Henry R. Taylor, New York, was added to the board of Green Bay & Western road. The report shows that the business for the year was satisfactory.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
To get the genuine call for full name, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

TABBERT'S

Cor. Tenth and Adams

Saturday Special
A 50c Gingham 35c

Petticoat at 35c

Dress Goods

Brocaded Silk Tussah.
27 inches wide, and in
all new shades, 39c

50c value at 39c

Ribbons

Brocaded and Moire
Ribbon in No. 100 and
150 width, white, also
new shades, at 39c

per yard 39c

For Communion

45 inch deeply Em-
broided Voile, regu-
lar 75c value, now 49c

on sale at yard ... 49c

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Full line of colors, at
only yard .25c, 50c, 75c

Visit our pattern department
for a full stock of Pictorial Pat-
terns.

SOCIETY

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Clementine Nedvidek was surprised by her classmates of the sixth grade, Lincoln school on March 11 on her twelfth birthday. Those present were Margery Palmer, Regina Herman, Dorothy Dow, Myrtle Clements, Dorothy Woods, Marie Larson, Grace Ketchel, Hilda Williams, Ethel Bartz, Ruth Miller, Venieta Knutson, Viola Nedvidek and Clementine Nedvidek. Supper was served at 6 o'clock. There was a birthday cake with candles in rose bud holders. The table decorations were ferns and St. Patrick flags. The color scheme was pink and green. The evening was spent in playing games and each of the little guests in turn gave a selection on the piano. Clementine received many beautiful presents.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Klawitter entertained a party of friends last evening at their home, 1131 South Fourth street. The evening was spent in games and music, a vocal solo was rendered by Mr. Charles Klawitter accompanied by Miss Florence Moeves. A dainty lunch was served at midnight. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames C. Moeves, C. Lane, C. Manske, Mrs. J. Manske, Mrs. Wernuth, Mrs. May, Misses Gertrude, Florence Moeves, Monica, Marguerite Wernuth, Ida Klawitter, Lenora Manske, Messrs. Charles Klawitter, Herman Klawitter, Arthur Justin, Vincent and Edward Manske.

WOMAN'S CLUB

The La Crosse Woman's club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bert Nelson, 1126 Rose street. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Partridge; vice president, Mrs. Morley; recording secretary, Mrs. Bullock; treasurer, Mrs. Leuck; board of directors, Mrs. Mell, Mrs. Chubb, Mrs. McCann and Mrs. Bentley. Mrs. Bullock gave a review of "Red Pepper Burns." Miss Klea Bullock furnished the music.

HOME COOKING SALE

The ladies of the First Presbyterian church will have a sale of home cooking Saturday morning at the "Little Shop," Main and Seventh street.

DINNER FOR STAR

Wednesday evening Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson entertained for Miss Jane Gordon, leading lady of the "Within the Law" company, and several other members of the company and a few personal friends at a dinner Wednesday evening.

THEATER SUPPER

Mrs. A. A. Maurer and Mr. Albert Maurer, Jr., entertained at a supper Wednesday evening after the play. Their guests were Miss Jane Gordon, Miss Ross, Mr. Robert Taber and Mr. William Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. D. Cunningham, Captain Thompson, Mr. McKenzie Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. James Hogan.

STAG DINNER

Mrs. Albert Roberge entertained at a stag dinner last evening in honor of her husband. It was also the birthday of the hostess. A basket of violets and sweet peas graced the center of the table. The guests were Doctors G. F. Hauser, Herbert Seidler and Schleiter, and Messrs. Otto Schlabach, H. B. Bozard, Arthur Roberge and Walter Lowry.

COFFEE

Mrs. Robert entertained yesterday afternoon a few neighbors in honor of her birthday. The guests were Mrs. Henry Rooney, Lyons, Schleiter and Miss Anna Goodland.

SEWING PARTY

Mrs. W. W. Van Horn entertained a sewing party of eight ladies this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leonard Kleeber.

FARMERS' INSTITUTES CLOSE

MADISON, Wis., March 13.—The last of a highly successful season of "farmers' institutes," conducted under the auspices of the extension department of the University of Wisconsin, were held today at Wild Rose, Arkdale, Doylestown, Daulton and New Lisbon. Officials in charge of the "institutes" reported on the work that has been done. Their reports contained high testimonials from farmers all over the state who declare they have received vast benefits from the system. Wisconsin was the pioneer in this movement to hold meetings in small towns where the farmers gathered for instruction in practical and scientific method of building up their farms and increasing their profits not only through development of larger crops but also through establishment of a better system of reaching the consumers with their products.

CAR DOF THANKS.

We desire to thank all friends and neighbors who so kindly extended their assistance during the illness and death of our beloved husband and brother, Aug. Bedessem; also those who sent floral offerings and especially Rev. Christie and the W. O. W.

MRS. AUG. BEDESSEM
AND RELATIVES.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank all friends and neighbors for their assistance during the death of wife and mother. Especially do we thank Rev. Gamm, the quartette of the German Lutheran church and all who sent floral offerings.

MR. G. H. WARNINGER
AND FAMILY.

The first harbinger of spring is apt to develop chilblains.

DUSTIN FARNUM

is playing

"THE SQUAW MAN"

A six reel production with 127 people and 264 scenes.

Tonight and Saturday

Saturday performance starts at 2 o'clock and runs right through the supper hour until 10:30 p. m.

Children's tickets sold from 2 to 6 o'clock only.

THE BIJOU

CUPID TAKES HER ON A LONG JOURNEY



Miss Fay Milburn.

Miss Fay Milburn, the pretty Washington girl here pictured, is speeding on her way to Honolulu, 5,465 miles from the national capital, where on March 20 she is to marry Lieutenant R. L. Gaugler, U. S. A., stationed there. Last summer she spent in Europe and came home to find her fiancé transferred to Hawaii.

SAVE MADISON \$126,274

MADISON, Wis., March 13.—The total annual savings to the citizens of Madison resulting from the regulation of public utilities by the railroad commission amounts to \$126,274. This compilation is made by comparing the old rates with the rates now in effect. During the last four years the rates of the Madison Gas & Electric company have been reduced three times and the data

recently filed with the commission shows the savings to the public.

The Difference.
"Making plans is a woman's chief delight; upsetting them is man's raison d'etre."—Julian Byng.

Long Island.
Long Island deserves its name. It is 130 miles long and twenty miles wide at its greatest breadth.

FIRST DOSE OF MAYR'S REMEDY PUT STOMACH VICTIM BACK ON JOB

**Milwaukee Man Finds
Quick Way to Escape
Misery of Digestive
Troubles**

William A. Ernst of 1184 Richards Street, Milwaukee, was a victim of stomach disorders which made him miserable most of the time. He was often unable to work and he suffered severely.

Mr. Ernst took Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy and was surprised at the quick results. He wrote: "Your medicine has relieved me of about three hundred acetations and I have not passed any more since taking the last dose. I have not lost an hour of work since. I have recommended your wonderful remedy to several of my friends and will recommend it to all who suffer as I did."

Similar experiences are related in letters from thousands of users of Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy in all parts of the United States. It clears the digestive tract of mucoid acetations and poisonous matter. It brings swift relief to sufferer from stomach ills, liver and intestinal troubles. Many declare that it has saved them from dangerous operations and many are sure that it has saved their lives.

The remarkable success of this remedy has caused many imitators, so be cautious. Be sure it's MAYR'S. Go to Hoeschler Bros.' drug store and ask about the wonderful results it has accomplished—or send to Geo. H. Mayr Mfg. Chemist, 154-156 Whiting St., Chicago, Ill., for free book on stomach ailments and many letters from grateful people who have been restored. Any druggist can tell you its wonderful effects.



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The music in this wondrous volume makes the whole world kin.

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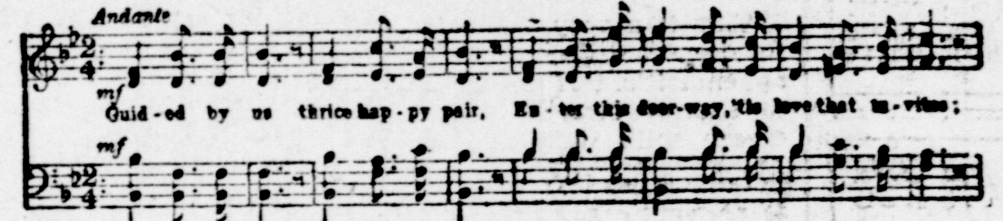
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Bridal Chorus, from Lohengrin

RICHARD WAGNER



The Bridal Chorus in Lohengrin

The Opera from which this Chorus is taken is perhaps the most popular of all the works of Wagner. And the Bridal March, which appears on page 95 of "Heart Songs," is heard all over the world today, at weddings.

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400 Songs—the chosen heart favorites of 20,000 people from all over the world. Every one a gem of purest ray serene.

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SYNOPSIS OF COMMON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 27, 1914.

Regular meeting.
President Wm. Torrance, presiding.

All aldermen present except Alderman Downs.

The city clerk read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved as read.

Alderman Smith offered the bills of the finance committee amounting to \$1,483.48, which were ordered paid.

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Alderman Kohn offered the bills of the water committee amounting to \$1,737.74, which were ordered paid.

Alderman Houska offered the bills of the public highways committee amounting to \$290.61, which were ordered paid.

Alderman Worth offered the bills of the health committee amounting to \$203.97, which were ordered paid.

Alderman Schulze offered the bills of the fire committee amounting to \$2,099.60, which were ordered paid.

Alderman Strauss offered the bills of the police committee amounting to \$1,012.87, which were ordered paid.

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Alderman Bartl offered the bills of the bridges committee amounting to \$194.78, which were ordered paid.

Alderman Roellig offered the bills of the sewers committee amounting to \$66.72, which were ordered paid.

Alderman Roth offered the bills of the parks committee amounting to \$471.51, which were ordered paid.

Alderman Rybold offered the bills of the scales committee amounting to \$72.20, which were ordered paid.

Alderman Smith offered a statement from Thomas E. Woolley regarding balance due him in connection with distribution system for new water plant. Referred to judiciary committee.

A resolution was adopted on recommendation of the city attorney that the case brought against the city of La Crosse by the Wisconsin Pearl Button company regarding the controversy over land bordering on the La Crosse river be settled and that the board of public works proceed as directed by the common council.

The city engineer was instructed to place sufficient permanent markers and costs of iron in the channel and bed of La Crosse river, at points to the line heretofore determined and agreed upon by the commissioners appointed by the city of La Crosse and the Wisconsin Pearl Button company to determine the south shore line of said La Crosse river, to clearly define and demarcate said line.

The petition of Frank R. Schwalbe for refund of \$2.50 for personal property tax was allowed and also a petition from him that income tax amounting to \$14.35 be cancelled.

The claim of Anton Rozynsky for damage amounting to \$23.76 caused by bursting of a water main was allowed.

The petition of the City Mission asking that its taxes be reduced 33 per cent was allowed.

Alderman Kohn offered a petition from P. Hofweber and son for permission to erect an elevator shaft in the rear of their Main street property. Referred to fire committee and fire marshal.

The city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and estimates for a water main on La Crosse street from Forest avenue to Sixteenth street, on Farwell street from Forest avenue to Seventeenth street and a sewer on Thirteenth street from Madison to Cass streets.

Alderman Houska offered a resolution to purchase three carloads of oil for the re-oiling of such streets as have been oiled and need repairing. Referred to special street improvement and street and alley committees.

A resolution was adopted accepting the proposition of the B. F. Goodrich company to provide six metal signs to be placed at prominent turning points and corners in the city showing the proper turns to make connecting with through highways and that such signs when received be placed as follows: One at the corner of George and Palace streets; one at the corner of State street and Campbell road; one at the corner of Twelfth and Jackson streets; one at the corner of Clinton and Caledonia streets, and one at the corner of Front and Mount Vernon streets.

The petition of the Advance Bedding company to vacate Pine street west of Front street to the city limits was referred to the committee of the whole.

Alderman Worth offered a petition from Hans A. Elde for refund of taxes. Referred to judiciary committee.

The board of public works was authorized to enter into an agreement with the La Crosse Gas and Electric company for the repair of the white way lighting system on both sides of Main street between Fifth and Sixth streets and the east side of Fourth street between Main and Jay streets, and the south side of Main street between Third and Fourth streets; such repairs not to exceed in cost the sum of \$95.80, and to be as indicated in the letter of said lighting company under date of February 24, 1914.

Alderman Kroner offered a petition from E. R. Shirley for permission to erect a fire escape on his building, 316-318 Pearl street. Referred to fire committee and fire marshal.

The city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for a 12 inch sewer on Fourth street between Vine and La Crosse streets.

Alderman Roellig offered for its first and second reading an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to regulate the use and operation of automobiles and motor vehicles for hire within the city of La Crosse, to require a license for the same, and to impose penalties for violations of the provisions of such ordinance."

Referred to ordinance, grounds and buildings, license other than liquor, streets and alleys committees and chief of police and city attorney.

Previous to the motion to refer the above ordinance Alderman Mahoney moved to have the same laid on the table, the motion being lost by viva voce vote.

Alderman Schultz offered a resolution regarding the printing contracts with the Volksfreund, Vlastence and Nord Stern. Referred to printing and finance committees.

Alderman Schultz offered a resolution directing the heads of different departments to have their bills discounted for cash. Referred to special committee composed of Alderman Schultz, Mahoney and Bartl.

The committee on finance and sewers reported that the deficit in the sewer fund as reported by the board of public works had been taken care of and no further action was necessary.

The city engineer was instructed to co-operate with the county highway commissioner, in the matter of the preparation of plans and specifications for the repair of the causeway leading from the north side to the south side.

The sum of \$50 was appropriated to assist in paying the salary of the school nurse for the ensuing fiscal year.

The bill of the city attorney amounting to \$15.87 for expenses incurred in appearing before the Wisconsin railroad commission in connection with the Rose street viaduct project was allowed.

No action was taken upon the petition of the La Crosse Gas and Electric company regarding water supply.

No action was taken regarding the resolution providing for lower tolls on the Mississippi river wagon bridge.

The board of public works was ordered to obtain cuts, diagrams and prices, and investigate and report to the common council the matter of proper dragging outfits designed for use in searching for dead bodies.

Alderman Torrance offered a bill of the municipality for dues and subscription. Referred to finance committee.

The city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for laying a 6-inch water pipe on Thirteenth street from Madison to Cass streets, and also a 6-inch water pipe on Cass street from 20th to 23rd street.

Alderman Mahoney offered a report from Alvord & Burdick regarding the progress made at the new water plant and an itemized statement of expenses incurred. Referred to special water committee.

Alderman Mahoney offered a resolution for brick paving Wood street from Logan street to Rublee street. Referred to special street improvement committee.

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Alderman Torrance presented a communication from the railroad commission of Wisconsin, also an order granting petition of the Wisconsin Railway Light & Power company for rehearing in the matter of constructing a viaduct over the Milwaukee railway tracks at Rose street. The matter was referred to the city attorney with instructions to look after the city's interests.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the fifth Tuesday, being the 31st day of March, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Ellis Purple, to admit to probate the last will and testament of Martin B. Ladd, late of the Village of West Salem, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

By order of the Court.
HON. JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge

W. F. & A. C. WOLFE,
Attorneys for Petitioner.

Or a Prevaricator.

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By C. A. Voight



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HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Blacksmith, L. O. Kirmse, West Salem, Wis. 2 24 tf

WANTED—Boys at the Stoddard hotel. 3 10 12

WANTED—Porter at the Stoddard hotel. 3 11 12

WANTED—Experienced grocery clerk, first class store on South side, Address W. care of Tribune. 3 12 14

WHO wants the city of La Crosse? Want to make big money quick? Let us tell you what others are earning, selling our wonderful Dandelion Extirminator. A-1 proposition. Territories going fast. La Crosse still open. Secure it now. Write today. Research Laboratory Co., 615 Caswell Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis. 3 12 14

WANTED—At once, a good shoemaker at the Shoe Mart, 1203 Caledonia. 3 13 11

WANTED—A presser, Pitzer Dyeing and Cleaning Co., 291 State. 3 13 16

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Iowa. 3 13 19

WANTED—Office boy, one who can operate typewriter preferred. Segelke & Kohlhaus Mfg. Co. 3 13 11

HELP WANTED—Female

STENOGRAPHERS—State examination at high school in La Crosse, March 16, at 8 a. m. Several excellent openings for competent stenographers. Candidates should communicate with Prof. Robert H. Butler of the high school. 3 12 13

WANTED—First class experienced cloak and suit saleswomen. State age, experience and salary desired, otherwise applications will not be considered. Address D. S. G., care of Tribune. 3 11 13

WANTED—A lady typewriter with several years' office experience. Segelke & Kohlhaus Mfg. Co. 3 13 11

WANTED—Short order woman cook. Milwaukee hotel, 424 Mill. 3 9 11

WANTED—Girl at Eagle hotel. 2 3 11

FOR SALE

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE—Bargains in unredeemed stored goods, while they last. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street. 2 26 3 31

FOR SALE—On account of moving, fancy and utility Partridge Wyandotte chickens. 721 Perry. 3 13 16

FOR SALE—Sanitary davenport, bedroom set, 9x12 wool fibre rug. 12 South Seventh. 3 13 19

FOR SALE—L. C. Smith typewriter in good condition. Address Box 655, La Crosse. 3 13 16

WISCONSIN—LAND OPENING—We offer for sale and settlement 50,000 acres of the choicest farm land left in Wisconsin, located near Lake Michigan on the new Duluth-Chicago division of the Soo line, in the famous Lac Court D'Orleans; Indian reservation district; best lakes in U. S.; virgin hardwood soil; near towns, schools, churches and surrounded by good farms; prices \$8 to \$15 per acre; easy terms. For maps and description address A. Wise Land Co., Birchwood, Wis. 3 11 13

FIRST CLASS BOILER, \$125. Pulleys, H. N. Lain, 1322 South 5th. 3 11 11

FOR SALE—Six room house, full lot and barn, 1230 Denton. 3 7 20

FINE Janssen & Strober pianos. Easy payments. Pianos tuned. 910 South Seventh street. A. Ruhoff. 3 11 11

FOR SALE—Household furniture, 616 Market street. 3 11 11

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house and barn with alley. Will sell cheap and on easy terms account leaving city. 1612 King street. 3 12 11

FARM FOR SALE—120 acres, three miles north of Chasburg, on Brinkman ridge. Ole L. Hanson, Chasburg, Wis., R. 1. 3 12 23

FOR SALE—1913 Flying Merkel motorcycle, twin 7 horse power, good as new; cheap if taken at once. Inquire of Jule Akervold, 505 North Eleventh street. New phone 1669-A. 3 11 17

FOR SALE—Large business safe and small home safe, also folding bed. Peter Newburg, La Crosse's Largest Clothing House. 3 11 18

FOR SALE—Kitchen range, cost \$60, will sell for \$25. Icebox nearly new, \$10. Mrs. Daniels, 1132 State street. 3 11 13

FOR SALE—Fine launch, 18 foot, two cylinder engine, almost new, \$90.00. Bargain. Geo. Jacobs, 815 South Fifth. 3 11 13

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy, incubator, bone cutter, hens and gasoline engine. G. D. Phillips, new phone 1033-M. 3 9 14

REMINGTON Visible typewriter for sale. Free trial. Express prepaid. Easy payments if you wish. Machine is practically new. Frank Payne, 3510 Harrison St., Chicago, Ill. 3 9 25

FOR SALE—Five room house, two blocks from Burlington shops. Also five room house, Fifteenth and Denton, with large lot. These are bargains. Address 723 Perry street. Lev phone 1591-A. 3 7 13

FOR SALE—First class upright piano, cheap. Apply 320 South Eighth. 3 7 11

FOR SALE—31 foot launch, semi-speed model, 3 cylinders, with a reverse gear, \$200. Box 579. 3 3 11

FOR SALE—Two houses and one lot. Inquire 149 South Sixth. 2 25 11

FOR SALE—Good residence or investment property, cheap. Inquire 320 North Eighth. 3 2 14

FOR SALE—Modern residence. 803 South Eleventh street. 2 28 3 13

FOR RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three furnished rooms to a responsible party. Part of rent can be paid by caring for other rooms. 626 Pine. 3 11 13

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in modern house, three blocks from Fourth and Main, 517 South Fourth street. 3 13 16

FOR RENT—House at 221 North 21st street. 3 10 16

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. 497 North Fourth. 3 12 18

FOR RENT—Rooms at 105 South Sixth street. 3 12 16

FOR RENT—Space on first floor of our store for soda fountain and ice-cream. Wm. Doerflinger Co. 3 12 13

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 703 Pine. 3 12 11

FOR RENT—Eight room house, Sixth and Mississippi. Inquire 723 Perry. 3 10 13

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 130 South Tenth. 3 11 11

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with or without board. 627 Vine. 3 11 11

FOR RENT—Eight room house, partly modern; seven room house, strictly modern. Inquire 429 South Ninth street. 3 11 11

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, modern. 415 South Fifth. 3 7 11

FOR RENT—Six room cottage, modern improvements. 1331 Vine St. 2 2 11

FOR RENT—Nice, large, light offices with city heat, over 307-309 Main street. Inquire Room 3 Bata-vian Bank building. 2 28 3 13

FOR RENT—Five room house. Address R. care of Tribune. 2 26 11

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, modern, close in. You must see these rooms. Inquire 209 Linker building. New phone 970. 2 9 11

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—By young couple, small house or flat, strictly modern. Address 1031-C new phone. 3 11 13

EXPERT ROPE AND CABLE SPLICING

Have served in the navy. Phone 6594 old. 9 9 14

CALPENTER SHOP—626 Main. 9 26 11

DRAWING of ashes and rubbish, etc. Poehling Bros., new phone 445-C; old phone 6654. 3 7 4 6

WANTED—Position by young man as bookkeeper. Call new phone 49. 1 14 11

TRY QUINN'S New restaurant, 122 North Third street. Regular dinner 20c. 5 3 11

LOST

LOST—A tent between Fourth and Main, Fifteenth and Market. Finder please call New Telephone Co. 3 13 16

LOST—Rhode Island Red rooster. Reward if returned to 718 State street. 3 12 14

FOUND

FOUND—Package of gloves. Owner can have same by calling at Tribune and paying for adv. 3 13 14

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 3 13 14

FINANCIAL

LOANS on furniture and real estate. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 5 5 11

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION

tells how to buy a home without money down. 9 17 11

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 11

Piano Tuning

RENIER Piano Co., New Phone 1244-M, 322 South Fourth street. 2 13 11

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 20 Main. Phones 286 Open av and night.

Stoves and Furniture.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE and stoves. Bell Furniture & Stove Co., 216 South Third street, ne telephone 1581-M. 3 2 11

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for all second-hand stoves, furniture, carpets, clothing, etc. Jacobs, 223 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 3 4 4 3

Poultry Department

FOR SALE—Five Single Comb Red cockerels, \$2.00 each if taken at once. Geo. Hayek, 919 Johnson St. 3 7 13

FOR SALE—Am retiring from the chicken business and will sell my prize Black Orpingtons cheap; also have fine Queen incubator and breeder. Bargain if you want good start for show birds. Geo. Jacobs, 815 South Fifth. 3 11 13

FOR SALE—Two Racine incubators, 125 egg capacity, in good condition. Louis Peterson, La Crosse, Minn. 3 11 13

WHITE WYANDOTTE EGGS, \$1.00 per 15. 426 South Eleventh. 3 12 16

Do not bottle wrath. Blow it out some one and then forget it.—New York American.

INDUSTRY

Exertion, whether called labor, recreation or amusement, is essential to health, and as the body was made for labor, work is its natural and honorable duty. An idle man or woman is a discredit to the race and unusually liable to fall into disease, while an industrious person adds to the wealth of the country and is more likely to be healthy and happy.

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks
NEW YORK, March 13.—Pronounced dullness prevailed at the opening of the stock market today, and price changes were only nominal.

11 a. m.—The rally which set in shortly after the opening lasted only a short time and traders were inclined to conserve the market's technical strength.

Noon.—The market's strength was well maintained to the end of the second hour. Rock Island issues rallied well.

2 p. m.—The market relapsed into dullness in the early afternoon, but stocks held up well. The firmness of New Haven after its sharp advance, attracted attention.

The stock market closed dull.

New York Money
NEW YORK, March 13.—Money on call 1 1/2 %.

Time money 3 1/2 % to 3 3/4 % for six months.

Bar Silver: London 26 3/4 d; New York 58c.

Demand sterling 4.86.20 @ 4.86.25.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 13.—Cattle—Receipts 300; market steady; steers \$3.65 to \$3.95; cows and heifers \$4.35 to \$4.90; stockers and feeders \$6.50 to \$8.10; calves \$6.50 to \$10.50.

Hogs—Receipts 3,000; market 5 to 10c higher; bulk \$8.45 to \$8.70; heavy \$8.65 to \$8.75; medium \$8.50 to \$8.70; light \$8.40 to \$8.65.

Sheep—Receipts 3,000; market steady; lambs \$7.25 to \$7.75; ewes \$5.00 to \$5.75; stockers and feeders \$3.50 to \$7.00.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, March 13.—Hogs—Receipts 16,000; market strong; 5 to 10c higher; mixed and butchers \$8.55 to \$8.85; good heavy \$8.55 to \$8.67; rough heavy \$8.40 to \$8.55; light \$8.55 to \$8.87; pigs \$7.00 to \$8.85.

Cattle—Receipts 1,500; market slow; weak; heaves \$7.15 to \$9.70; cows and heifers \$5.70 to \$5.80; stockers and feeders \$5.60 to \$8.10; Texans \$7.10 to \$8.15; calves \$7.00 to \$10.00.

Sheep—Receipts 7,000; market steady; native \$4.50 to \$6.30; western \$4.90 to \$6.35; lambs \$6.80 to \$7.75; western \$6.80 to \$7.85.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, March 13.—Butter—Extras 27c; firsts 24 1/2 to 25c; dairy extras 25 to 25 1/2c; firsts 22 1/2 to 23c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 24 1/2c; ordinary 23 1/2 to 24c.

Cheese—Twins 17 1/2 to 18c; Young Americas 18 1/2 to 19c.

Potatoes—60 to 70c.

Live Poultry—Fowls 15 to 15 1/2c; ducks 16 to 17c; geese 12 to 13c; spring chicks 17 to 17 1/2c; turkeys 15 to 16c.

Barley and Flax

Minneapolis flax \$1.55 to \$1.58. Duluth flax \$1.58.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, March 13.—Wheat—No. 2 red 94 1-2 to 94 5-8c; No. 3 red 93c; No. 2 hard 92 1-4 to 92 3-4c; No. 3 hard 91 3-4 to 92 1-8c; No. 3 spring 93 to 93 1-2c.

Corn—No. 3, 60 to 65c; No. 3 white 64 3-4 to 66c; No. 3 yellow 62 to 65c; No. 4, 57 to 59 1-2c; No. 4 white 60 to 64c; No. 4 yellow 58 1-2 to 62c.

Oats—No. 3 white 38 1-2 to 39c; No. 4 white 37 3-4 to 38 1-2c; stand. 39 3-4 to 40 1-4c.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, March 13.—Under pressure at the opening because of a half cent decline at Liverpool, the wheat futures lost 1-4c in the local market. May futures rallied at once, regaining the early loss, but July continued to drop, losing 3-8c more in the forenoon.

Corn prices weakened shortly after the opening and May futures lost 1-2c. A buying rush in July advanced futures for that month 3-8c in the forenoon.

Oats market was fairly quiet with prices steady for the most part. The buying of July oats by cash houses gave that month a fractional gain. Provisions were firm at the start,

WHEAT

May . . . 92 1/2 93 1/2 92 3/4 93 3/4
July . . . 87 1/2 88 1/2 87 3/4 88 3/4

CORN

May . . . 66 1/2 67 1/2 66 3/4 67 3/4
July . . . 66 1/2 67 1/2 66 3/4 67 3/4

OATS

May . . . 39 1/2 39 3/4 39 1/4 39 3/4
July . . . 39 1/2 39 3/4 39 1/4 39 3/4

PORK

May . . . 21.52 21.70 21.52 21.67
July . . . 21.72 21.72 21.72 21.72

LARD

May . . . 10.80 10.87 10.80 10.87
July . . . 11.00 11.07 10.97 11.05

RIBS

May . . . 11.50 11.60 11.50 11.60
July . . . 11.62 11.70 11.06 11.70

YEOMEN TAKE IN CLASS

The Brotherhood of American Yeomen held their regular meeting Tuesday evening in Linker hall.

A large class of new members was taken in, the initiation being in charge of the degree team in uniform. After the meeting, a dance was given, the Yeomen orchestra of five pieces furnishing the music. The Brotherhood will give a Shamrock ball next Tuesday evening in Linker hall.

JEWELS NOT RECOVERED

NEW YORK, March 13.—"I was probably the most surprised person in New York when I read the story that the jewels which were stolen from our home at Narragansett Pier had been recovered," said Mrs. John Hanan, wife of the millionaire shoe manufacturer, today in denying absolutely a published report that a private detective agency had recovered a part of the jewels and expected to arrest the thieves soon.

TELLS OF INTIMACY

CHICAGO, March 13.—Sinking low in her chair to avoid the eyes of a crowded court room, Mrs. Louise Van Keuren, on trial for the murder of her husband, heard a private detective testify today regarding her alleged intimacies with George Penrose, the jeweler, under indictment as an accessory to the killing.

DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit
(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Grapes, Almeria, keg . . . \$6.00
Figs, Calif., 12 to 12 oz. . . . 85c
Dates, Anchor, 30 pkgs. . . . \$2.50
Dates, Excelsior, 30 pkgs. . . . \$2.75
Dates, Bromedary, 30 pkgs. . . . \$3.00
New Dates, per lb. . . . 6c
Bananas, per bunch . . . \$1.50 to \$2.00
California Lemons, box \$4.00 to \$4.50
Lemons, Verdelli, 30 siz boxx. \$4.00
Oysters, Selects, gal. . . . \$1.75
Oysters, Standards, gal. . . . \$1.50
Cabbage, old or new, per bbl. . . \$2.00
Oranges, Cal, box . . . \$2.75
Grape Fruit . . . \$4.00
Apples, Northern Spys . . . \$5.00
Apples, Snows . . . \$5.00
Apples, Grimes Golden . . . \$5.00
Apples, Baldwins . . . \$6.00
Apples, Greenings . . . \$6.00
Apples, Cooking . . . \$4.00
Apples, boxes . . . \$1.75 to \$1.90
Canada Rutabagas, per bu. . . . 75c
Cider, Refined, per bbl. . . . \$6.50
Cider, Pure Juice, per bbl. . . \$6.00
Cider, Crab Apple, half bbl. . . \$5.50
Cider, Refined, half bbl. . . \$3.75
Cider, Pure Juice, half bbl. . . \$3.50
Onions, Yellow, per hd. . . \$4.00
Potatoes, per bu. . . . 70c
Strawberries, per quart . . . 50c

GRAIN

(Quoted by Thomas Phalon Co.)
Corn 50 to 60c
Oats 32 to 38c
Wheat 75 to 80c
Rye 60 to 62c
Barley 50 to 65c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)
Patent, per barrel . . . \$5.10
Std. light, per barrel . . . \$4.90

Mill Feed

Brass, per ton, 100 lb. sacks. \$26.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks. \$27.00
White middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks . . . \$30.00
Red Dog, per ton, 100 lb. sacks . . . \$31.00

Livestock

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)
Hogs \$7.50 to \$8.00
Steers \$3.50 to \$6.50
Cows \$3.00 to \$5.00
Heifers \$3.00 to \$5.50
Sheep \$2.50 to \$3.00
Spring Lambs \$5.50 to \$6.00

Poultry

Chickens 12c
Turkeys 14c
Ducks 12c
Geese, per pound . . . 11c

Provisions

Lard, per pound . . . 13 1/2 to 13 3/4c
Shoulders, per pound . . . 13 1/2c
Hams, per pound . . . 16 to 16 1/2c

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Bacon, per pound . . . 17 to 20c
Dried Beef, per pound . . . 25 to 27c

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)
Creamery butter, pound 28c to 29c
Dairy butter, pound . . . 23 to 25c
Eggs, fresh, dozen . . . 25c
Eggs, seconds, dozen . . . 22c

Cheese

(Quoted by Hy. Andereg.)
Fancy full cream twins. 14 1/2 @ 16c
Fancy full cream daisies. 15 @ 16c
Fancy full cream Limburger. 16 @ 18c
Fancy full cream Swic. block 17 @ 18c

INDICT BIG POLITICIANS

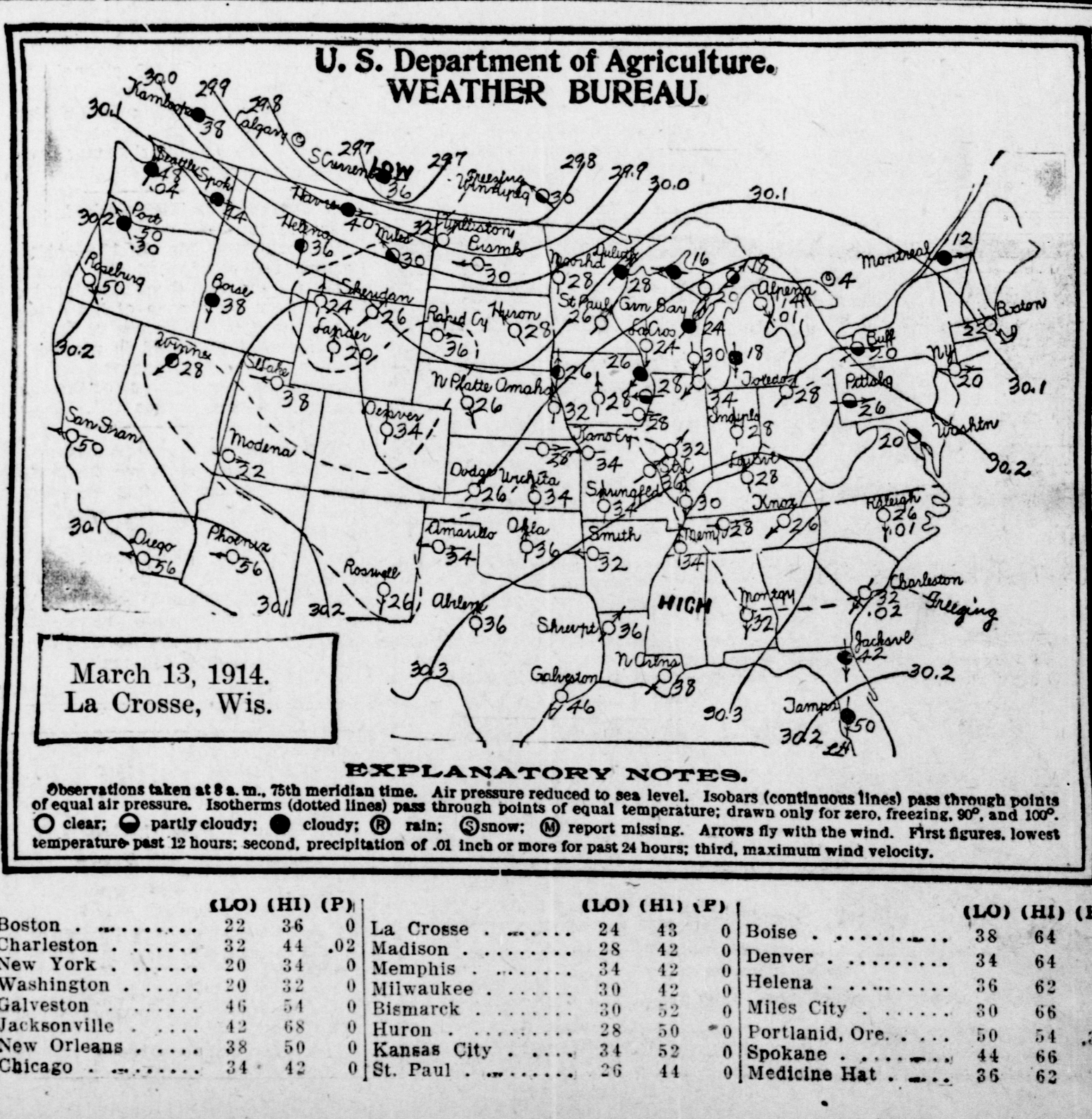
COLUMBUS, O., March 13.—The Franklin county grand jury today indicted William L. Finley, chairman of the democratic state executive committee and three democratic state associations for violations of the civil service law. It is charged they solicited funds from civil service employees for maintenance of the democratic state press bureau.

He Meant the Ashes.

Hewitt—Gruet uses very appropriate language, don't you think so?

Jewett—Well, when I asked him what he thought of the idea of cremation his reply was, "It jars one."—New York Press.

As a general rule it is safer to find fault with a woman's husband than with her preacher.



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WHO ANNEXED THE EARL'S DIAMOND?

It is reported that the United States secret service men will trail the returning baseball world tourists and keep sharp watch on all their side trips, especially if one of these should lead under the well known trio of gold balls.

This pussyfoot stuff comes at the behest of King George, whose pal, the Earl of Chesterfield, was mooched for a fine rock that he had in his shirt hider when the ballplayers were ushered into the royal presence for the big intro. In perfect synchrony with their departure, Earl Chesty gives the royal ribs a joust and roars:

"My word, Kink, I'm touched!" Zounds! Oddish! And then some plain est street. Could any of our best American ballplayers stoop so low as to rip Earl Chesterfield for his scarf nugget or be so hard pressed financially as to boost the spark with an idea of converting it into quick bundle of cash? It might be just as well for everybody to come through with disclaimers.

Chesty is one of the king's pets—one of the golden haired buckos of the court, who stand around and choke with real lawtier every time Friend King puts his feet on the table and tells one of them stories that Shem used to spring on Japhet just as the ark rounded the sand-bar on Ararat.

So, with our international complications drawing themselves into as tight a tangle as a fire dried bargain flannel shirt, it would be well to have all sorts of diplomatic—and really truthful—assurances made that none of our visiting athletes blimmed the button.

HE'S SLATED FOR ENVOY TO RUSSIA



William G. Sharp.

William G. Sharp, who has served in the last three congresses as the representative of the Fourteenth Ohio district, is said to be the president's choice for the ambassadorship to Russia, which was refused by Henry Fendell of Illinois, after the trouble in confirming his appointment. Mr. Sharp is still in congress and is a life-long Democrat. He is fifty-five years old and is a law graduate of the University of Michigan.

M'GRAW DRAWING \$30,000 A YEAR

MARLIN, Texas, March 13.—Thirty thousand dollars a year is the salary received by John J. McGraw as manager of the New York Giants, according to the affidavit signed by McGraw here, in accordance with the income tax law. This far exceeds the salaries said to be paid Tris Speaker, Ty Cobb and other stars of the game. His contract, signed last winter, has four years more to run.

According to the report here McGraw's income from baseball last year was \$33,500. This included his salary. His share in the world's series receipts and incidentals from exhibition games.

Foundation of Manhattan. The foundation of Manhattan island is chiefly gneiss, a hard, brittle granite. In the upper part of the city foundations are laid directly on the rock. Farther down, below Fourteenth street, the soil is deep sand, running into quicksand, and for some of the greatest skyscrapers it has been necessary to sink caissons more than 100 feet to get to bedrock.

Tobacco Consumption. The estimated daily average consumption of cigars in the United States is 21,718,488, and of cigarettes \$3,786,190.

SPORT NEWS

RITCHIE HAS SHADE ON FORMER CHAMP

Ritchie Floors Wolgast in Seventh but Physician Claims a Foul; Champ Gets \$16,000

Wolgast had the first, fourth, fifth and tenth rounds, the second was even and Ritchie took the rest. Contest most thrilling here since Ketchel-Papke bout in 1908.—Free Press.

Battled ten vicious rounds to a draw, Wolgast's showing in the tenth saving his scalp.—Sentinel.

It went to Ritchie for his knock down and his boxing in the closing rounds.—News.

Ritchie gets the shade since the knockdown in the seventh was not ruled a foul by the referee. It is a close decision. There is little doubt that Wolgast was fouled.—Promoter Andrews, in Leader.

The whole thing hinged on the knockdown which developed into a full fledged foul. Because of Wolgast's aggressiveness throughout he is entitled to a draw.—Journal.

If Ritchie had a shade it was offset by the foul, Wolgast was the better scrapper and Ritchie the better boxer.—Wisconsin.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 13.—Willie Ritchie was a much battered champion today but nevertheless a champion, and Ad Wolgast, with scarcely a mark of the 10 round fight last night, was still a contender for the lightweight crown.

The verdict was by newspaper decision, most of the critics giving Ritchie the best of it.

For ten rounds the two lightweights milled fiercely with Wolgast apparently doing the more damage. At long range the champion had the edge but in the in-fighting the bear cat had things all his own way.

Ritchie scored the only knockdown, a solar plexis in the seventh doing the business. Ad was particularly groggy during that period but came back strong for the last three. The tenth round went to Wolgast by a wide margin, the Dutchman wading in with lefts and rights to the face and stomach that bewildered the champion.

The great feature of the fight was the fierceness with which the two mixed. From the tap of the bell until the end there was not a minute of inaction.

Neither fighter had difficulty in making the weight, although each just edged into the requirements.

Dr. C. W. Morter of the boxing commission maintained today that the blow which sent Wolgast to the canvas in the seventh round was a foul. The physician examined the bear cat at the end of the match. Referee Stout, who called the match a draw, says that he was standing back of Wolgast and could not see if the blow was low.

Official figures on receipts made public this morning were:

Gate, \$39,750, of which Ritchie gets \$16,000 and Wolgast \$12,000.

Wolgast was expected to sign today for three fights in the east during the spring, the Dutchman to pick his opponents. He will also sign for a bout with Joe Rivers either in Chicago or Milwaukee, it was said.

KILLIFER MAY JUMP

SHREVEPORT, La., March 13.—Ad Brennan, ex-Phillie, encamped here with the Chicago Federals, told President Weegman today that a letter from Bill Killifer strongly intimated that Killifer yearned to do another kangaroo back to the Federals. Weegman fired a telegram at Killifer at the Phillies' camp, inviting him to come over.

DE ORO HOLDS TITLE

NEW YORK, March 13.—Alfred De Oro today retained the title of world's champion three cushion billiard player, by reason of his defeat last night of Fred Eames of Denver by a score of 50 to 43 in ninety-six innings. The total score for the three nights' competition for the title was De Oro 150, Eames 108.

Nothing to Worry About.

"Have you heard about the awful thing Mr. Johnson did this morning? Several of the neighbors saw him dragging his wife around in the back yard by her hair. Don't you think the authorities ought to do something about it?" "Why should the authorities interfere? Haven't you heard that Johnson and his wife are working for a moving picture film concern?"

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SPARTA-LA CROSSE TROUBLE AT END

The Schools Again Assume Friendly Relations; Spartans Will Play Here Next Week

Hostilities between the La Crosse and Sparta high school athletic organizations have ceased. Once more the two schools are on friendly relations and the Spartans will again battle with the local aggregation next week. This is the word handed out by athletic officials at the La Crosse high school today.

During the last few days Professor McCormick and the Sparta principal have been in communication regarding the strained situation prevailing as the result of the disputed score of the last Sparta-La Crosse basketball game. Today it was announced that the controversy is to be forgotten and the schools will continue to be rivals as in the past.

While it has been agreed between the two schools to meet in another game of basketball next week, the date has not yet been set. The manager of the basketball team, however, will get in communication with the Sparta manager today and the date for the game will be decided upon. The game will be played in the local high school gym.

ENGLISHMEN WOULD LEARN BASEBALL

I attended the baseball game in London and had an Englishman on each side of me. After on little difficulty in explaining some of the fine points of the game to them, following are some of their remarks:

Why does the pitcher keep continually kissing the ball?

Why does the catcher wear armor?

I'd like a look at that glove. It seems such a queer implement.

You don't get much for your money if they only get a first base all the time.

That's so careless of the runner to get so far away from his base. (While a player was stealing a base.)

What's the pitcher looking to the right and left all the time for? He delays the game.

Jolly rotten luck this "foul" business.

What's the good of that fellow shouting to the runner all the time? It gets him off his head.

I don't think the pitcher ought to send the ball without giving the batter full warning.

I think that bat ought to be constructed a little wider, anyhow.

It seems a bit unfair that he should be allowed to take his base for doing nothing at all after four balls have been thrown.

I'm sure the game will have to be changed if we're going to play it. These "fouls" won't please our people. When a fellow hits a ball as hard as that he ought to get something for it. That fielder fellow catches the ball every time and don't give any chance for playing, and there should be more scoring. This thing of getting stopped all the time around the bases seems to keep everybody in hot water all the time. You never know where you are.

TO ENTER FRENCH MET

CHICAGO, March 13.—The Aero club of Illinois will send an Illinois built aeroplane and an Illinois aviator to France next summer to compete in the Gordon Bennett cup races, it was announced today.

Harold F. McCormick, millionaire sportsman, heads a committee to determine the type of machine to be selected and to name the aviator. The New York Aero club has made tentative plans to have two entries.

PEORIA LEADS A. B. C.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 13.—With a jump of almost 300 plus over the previous high mark, the Clark team of Peoria, Ill., has romped into the lead of the five man event of the A. B. C. tournament now in session at the Broadway auditorium, rolling a total of 2,871.

The three leaders in each event in the tourney to date: Five man event: Clarke, Peoria, Ill., 2,871; Iroquois, Rome, N. Y., 2,649; Bauers, Peoria, Ill., 2,611.

Decidedly in the Way.

An army chaplain came across a baggage column with a wagon stuck fast. "Men, I see you're in difficulties," he said. "Can I be of any assistance?" "Yes, sir," exclaimed one of the drivers, "by making yourself scarce! You see, we can't very well say to the horses what they'd understand while you're about."

Horse's Endurance.

To test the staying powers of a thoroughbred horse a New Jersey man rode an animal from New York to Chicago. He covered the first 700 miles in less than 12 days of actual riding. This horse once made the distance of 78 miles in 24 hours, carrying a rider over the mountains between Johnstown, Pa., and Pittsburgh.

Good for the Country.

Speaking of blessings, isn't it a grand thing for this country that the great common people stay in a good humor?—Dallas News.

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PLAYERS KEEPING MOGULS GUESSING

BY HAL SHERIDAN

(Written for the United Press.)
NEW YORK, March 13.—When the season opens and there is an opportunity to look over the players on the field and then check up the bench warmers, it may be possible to determine exactly the number of big leaguers who have fled to the Federals, but the on again, off again epidemic has evidently not been checked. If either the Federal or organized officials know just where they stand now in some cases they must have adding machines and rapid calculators to keep track of the league standing for man grabbing.

Cross Floors Ad

From all reports of the Ritchie-Wolgast fight in Milwaukee, Willie evidently muffed his strongest play in the seventh when he put Ad down for the count of four. Ritchie's system of turning out the lights for his opponent is the shooting of a stiff left into the stomach and as his man bends over he drives in a powerful right cross to the jaw. His left to Wolgast's body landed a little too high to bring Ad over just right to receive the cross and then he dropped before "Willie" could get to him.

Ritchie put Wolgast down in their fourth round fight, again in their sixteen round go with this system and the same old reliable did the business against Joe Rivers and Leach Cross.

Johnson a Wanderer

Jack Johnson is out again. Advice from Stockholm declare the smoked American was forced to leave the city because of hostile demonstrations against him. Johnson was to have appeared in several wrestling matches.

BROWNS LOSE

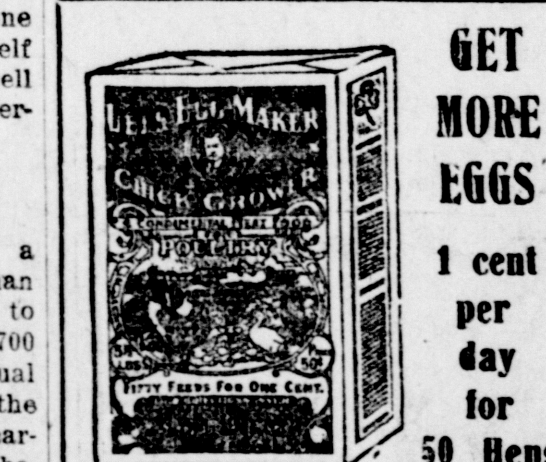
FORT MYERS, Fla., March 13.—Roy Mitchell was blamed today for the defeat of the Browns by the Colonels yesterday 3 to 2. Roy failed to touch first when on the receiving end of a putout and two Kentuckians scored on Henry Barry.

CARDS SUFFERING

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 13.—Friday the 13th was ushered in here today with the announcement that every member of the Cardinal squad is suffering with a sore wing, the twirlers excepted. "Charley Horse" rheumatism and bruises are also plentiful.

Shades of Reasoning.

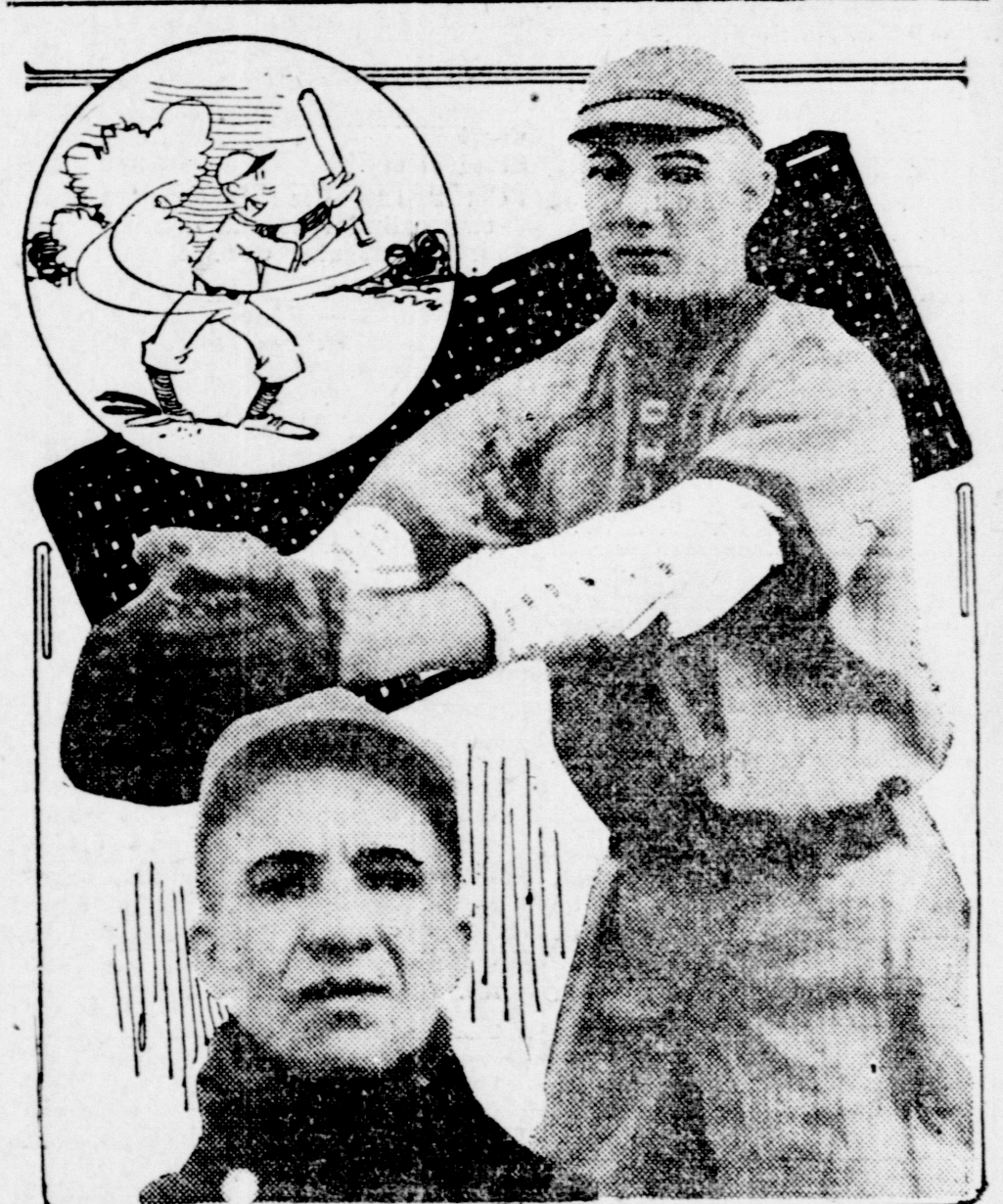
"Is there anything in a name?" inquired the man with mouse colored whiskers. "You can bet there is. Name a boy Strayvansant or Van Rensselaer or Gouverneur and he'll never hold anything but a first class job. Nobody will ever dare ask him to swab windows or mop floors. And by the time he's forty he'll be head of a trust company and director in twenty-seven prominent concerns. Oh, yes; there's a heap in a name, lemme tell you."—Washington Herald.



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CHICAGO CUB RECRUITS ARE SHOWING UP WELL IN SPRING TRAINING AT TAMPA



Koestner (left) and Mollwitz.

Two recruits who are showing up well with the Chicago Cubs at the Tampa training ground are Fred Mollwitz and Koestner. Mollwitz played with the Green Bay (Wis.) team the past three seasons. He stands six feet two inches and is some first baseman, but on account of Vic Saier may have a hard time in making the team. There are plenty of teams, however, that have their eyes on him in the event that he is to be traded or turned back to the minors. Last year he batted .311. Koestner is a pitcher.

NEGOTIATIONS ON FOR SALE OF CUBS

CHICAGO, March 13.—The Chicago Cubs will be taken over next week by a joint syndicate of Chicago business men, headed by John T. Connerly, coal man, and M. J. Spiegel, head of a house furnishing company, it was indicated in a statement given to the United Press by Connerly Thursday afternoon.

Fred D. Mayer, who was in Cincinnati on Wednesday conferring with C. P. Taft, Cub owner, as representative of the Spiegel syndicate, called Connerly on the long distance phone after his conference with Taft. Arrangements were made for a meeting of the associates of Connerly and those affiliated with Spiegel here Monday or Tuesday of next week, when it is probable the deal will be closed.

Connerly called off the meeting Thursday afternoon of his associates and gave out a statement saying that "arrangements mutually agreeable to the Connerly-Spiegel syndicate have been made and Chicago baseball fans can be assured that the Cubs will pass under the control of Chicago men."

The statement apparently sets at rest the report that the Cubs would not be sold but that Secretary Thomas would be elevated to the presidency.

PLAN ANOTHER TOUR

CHICAGO, March 13.—Tentative plans for a new baseball tour of Sox-Giants teams for next fall and winter were announced today by Ted Sullivan, who arranged the around the world itinerary. Sullivan proposes to have two teams visit London, Paris and several principal cities of Europe after the close of the baseball season in this country. He would have them return to America the middle of November and then start a South American jaunt.

AERIALS ATTACKING CALIFORNIA GUARDS

POMONA, Cal., March 13.—To prove the efficacy of the aeroplane as a factor in modern warfare, Aviators Glenn Martin, Charles Willard and Ignatius Sonborne made an aerial attack today upon the fortified position of a battalion of California National guards. Several thousand spectators at the Pomona speedway watched the contest. International rules of warfare were observed, and army officers acted as judges. The aviators made individual attacks and worked at other times in a systematically planned offense, raining bombs upon the camp. Martin was scheduled tomorrow to attempt to break the world's passenger carrying records for endurance and altitude.

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